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1798:

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WHAT arm almighty, put these wheeling globes
In motion, and wound up the vast machine?
Who rounded in his palm these spacious orbs?
Who bowl'd them flaming thro' the dark profound,
Num'rous as glitt'ring gems of morning dew?

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ECLIPSES in the Year 1798.

FOUR eclipſes will happen this year; two of which will be of the Sun: The three firſt of them will be inviſible; but the fourth will be partly viſible. They will be in the following order:

I. The Firſt of the Sun, May 15th day, 3 h. 20 m. in the afternoon; inviſible by reaſon of the Moon's ſouth latitude.

II. The ſecond of the Moon, May 29th day, 1 h. 31 m. in the afternoon; but inviſible on account of the Moon's being below the horizon. This eclipſe will be total.

III. The third of the Sun, November 7th day, 9 h. 8 m. in the afternoon; but inviſible in our hemiſphere: Though the Sun will be centrally eclipſed on the meridian, at 8 h. 48 m. in Longitude 159° Eaſt of Greenwich, and Latitude 46° 30′ North.

4. The fourth and laſt will be an eclipſe of the Moon, November 23d day, the beginning of which, happening before the Moon's ſetting, will be viſible.

Beginning - - - - -	6*h.*	25*m.*	Apparent Time. Morning.
Middle - - - - - -	7	53½	
Ecliptic oppoſition -	8	0½	
End - - - - - - -	9	22	
Duration - - - -	2	57	

Digits eclipſed 7° 50′ on the moon's ſouth limb

CHRONOLOGICAL CYCLES.

DOMINICAL Letter	G.	Number of Direction	3
Golden Number .	13	Roman Indiction . .	1
Cycle of the Sun . .	15	Dionyſian Period .	187
Epact . . .	12	Julian Period . .	6511

MEDICAL LECTURES. 1798.

THE Medical Lectures of the Univerſity at Cambridge, commence on the firſt Wedneſday of October, annually.

VACATIONS *at* HARVARD COLLEGE. 1798.

FROM commencement, four weeks. From the third Wedneſday in October, two weeks. From the firſt Wedneſday in January, five weeks. From the ſecond Wedneſday in April, two weeks.

VACATIONS at WILLIAMSTOWN COLLEGE. 1798.

FROM commencement, five weeks. From the third Wedneſday in January, three weeks. From the third Wedneſday in May, three weeks.

VACATIONS at RHODEISLAND COLLEGE. 1798.

FROM commencement, four weeks. From the firſt Wedneſday in January, ſix weeks. From the firſt Wedneſday in May, three weeks.

VACATIONS *at* DARTMOUTH COLLEGE. 1798.

FROM commencement, four and a half weeks. From the firſt Monday in January, ſix and a half weeks. From the Monday preceding the laſt Wedneſday in May, two weeks.

MUSEUM

The ANATOMY *of* MAN's BODY, *as governed by the Twelve* CONSTELLATIONS, *according to ancient Aſtronomy, viz.*

♈ governs the Head and Face.

♓ The Feet.

Aries ♈ a Ram. *Taurus* ♉ a Bull. *Gemini* ♊ Twins. *Cancer* ♋ a Crab Fiſh. *Leo* ♌ a Lion. *Virgo* ♍ a Virgin. *Libra* ♎ Balance, or Scales. *Scorpio* ♏ a Scorpion. *Sagittarius* ♐ an Archer. *Capricornus* ♑ a Goat. *Aquarius* ♒ a Young Man pouring water out of a pot, *Piſces* ♓ Fiſh.

PROBATE COURTS *in the* COUNTY *of* WORCESTER.

AT the Probate Office in Worceſter, on the firſt Tueſday in every month.—On the Thurſday next after the third Tueſday in May, and the third Tueſday in October, at the houſe of Mr. *Joſhua Wright*, innholder in Templeton.—The fourth Tueſday in April and October, at the houſe of Capt. *Tilly Rice*, innholder in the weſt pariſh of Brookfield.—The third Tueſday in May and November, at the houſe of Mr. *Iſrael Sawyer*, innholder in Lancaſter.—The fourth Tueſday in May and November, at the houſe of Mr. *Woods*, innholder in Uxbridge.

NAMES *and Characters of the* PLANETS, &c.

☉ or ⊙ Sol or Sun.—☽ or ● or ☽ Luna or Moon.—♄ Saturn.—♃ Jupiter.—♂ Mars.—♀ Venus.—☿ Mercury.—H Herſchel.—⊕ Tellus or Earth.

NAMES *and Characters of the* ASPECTS, *and* NODES.

☌ Conjunction.—☍ Oppoſition.—△ Trine.—□ Quartile.—⚹ Sextile.

☊ Dragon's Head, or aſcending Node.—☋ Dragon's Tail, or deſcending Node.

THOMAS's Lawyers' *and* Juſtices' CALENDAR, for 1798.—Or, a *Liſt* of the *Courts* in the *Newengland States*, for each Month.

NOTE.—S. F. C. *ſtands for Supreme Federal Court.* C. F. C. *Circuit Federal Court.* D. F. C. *Diſtrict Federal Court.* S. J. C. *Supreme Judicial Court.* S. C. *Supreme Court.* S. C. E. *Supreme C. of Errors.* C. P. *Com. Pleas.* I. C. *inferr. Court.* C. C. *County Court.*

JANUARY, begins on Monday, 31 days.
Days of the Month on which the ſeveral Days of the Week begin.

Monday,	1	8	15	22	29
Tueſday,	2	9	10	23	30
Wedneſday,	3	10	17	24	31
Thurſday,	4	11	18	25	
Friday,	5	12	19	26	
Saturday,	6	13	20	27	
Sunday,	7	14	21	28	

S. C. Newhav. & Burling. V. 1ſt Tueſday.
—— Fairfield & Middlebury, 3d do.
—— Rutland, 2d Tueſday after 3d do.
—— Litchfield, - - - laſt do.
C. P. Lenox, Mond. preced. 1ſt Tueſday.
—— Boſton & Newglouceſt. 1ſt do.
—— Portſmouth, - 1ſt do.
—— Hallowell - 2d do.
—— Rocheſter, - - 3d do.
—— Northampton, Monday prec. 2d do.
—— Briſtol, - - 2d Monday.
—— Eaſtgreenwich - 3d do.
C. C. Danville, - - 1ſt do.

FEBRUARY, begins on Thurſd. 28 days.

Thurſday,	1	8	15	22
Friday,	2	9	16	23
Saturday,	3	10	17	24
Sunday,	4	11	18	25
Monday,	5	12	19	26
Tueſday,	6	13	20	27
Wedneſday,	7	14	21	28

S. F. C. Philadelphia, 1ſt Monday.
D. F. C. Windſor, - - 1ſt do.
—— Newport, - - 1ſt Tueſday.
—— Newhaven, - 3d do.
S. J. C. Boſton, - 3d do.
S. C. Hartford, - 2d do.
—— Bennington, - 4th Tueſd. next following 3d Tueſd. in January.
—— Tolland, - 4th Tueſday.
—— Portſmouth, - 1ſt do.
—— Dover, - 4th do.
C. P. Southkingſton, 2d Monday.
C. C. Tolland, - 2d Tueſday.
—— St. Albans, 1ſt Monday.
—— Burlington, - laſt do. ſave one.

MARCH, begins on Thurſday, 31 days.

Thurſday,	1	8	15	22	29
Friday,	2	9	16	23	30
Saturday,	3	10	17	24	31
Sunday,	4	11	18	25	
Monday,	5	12	19	26	
Tueſday,	6	13	20	27	
Wedneſday,	7	14	21	28	

D. F. C. Pownalborough, 1ſt Tueſday.
—— Salem & Portſmouth, 3d do.
S. C. Windham, - 2d do.
—— Norwich, - 4th do.
—— Newport, - 1ſt Monday.
—— Briſtol, - 2d do.
—— Providence, - - 3d do.
C. P. Concord, Mond. preceding 3d Tueſ.
—— Worceſter, Mond. preced. 4th do.
—— Sherburne, Amherſt, & Barnſtable, } laſt do.
—— Haverhill, N. H. - 1ſt do.
C. C. Middleb. Mond. preced. 1ſt Tueſd.
C. C. Rutland, Mond. preceed. 3d Teuſd.
—— Woodſtock, Mond. prec. 4th Tueſ.
—— Newhaven, & Hartford, 3d Tueſday.
—— Litchfield, - - 4th do.
—— Haddam, - - laſt do.

APRIL, begins on Sunday, 30 days.

Sunday,	1	8	15	22	29
Monday,	2	9	16	23	30
Tueſday,	3	10	17	24	
Wedneſday,	4	11	18	25	
Thurſday,	5	12	19	26	
Friday,	6	13	20	27	
Saturday,	7	14	21	28	

C. F. C. Newyork, - 2d day.
—— Newhaven, - 13th do.
S. J. C. Concord, - 2d Tueſday.
—— Worceſt. next preced. laſt do.
—— Northampton, laſt do.
S. C. Southkingſton, - 4th Monday.
—— Eaſtgreenwich, - 2d do.
C. P. Keene, - - 1ſt Tueſday.
—— Plymouth & Ipſwich, 2d do.
—— Boſto. York, Edga. & Caſtine 3d do.
—— Lenox, & Taunt. Mond prec. 3d do.
—— Dedham, & Portland, laſt do.
C. C. Fairfield, - 3d do.

MAY, begins on Tueſday, 31 days.

Tueſday,	1	8	15	22	29
Wedneſday,	2	9	16	23	30
Thurſday,	3	10	17	24	31
Friday,	4	11	18	25	
Saturday,	5	12	19	26	
Sunday,	6	13	20	27	
Monday,	7	14	21	28	

C. F. C. Windſor, - 1ſt day.
—— Portſmouth, - 19th do.
D. F. C. Rutland, - 1ſt Mond.
—— Providence, - 2d Tueſday.
—— Hartford, - 3d do.
S. J. C. Barnſtable, Wedneſ. next preceding } 3d do.
—— Plymouth, - 3d do.
S. C. Hopkinton, - 1ſt do.
—— Charleſtown, N. H. 3d do.
C. P. Northamp. & Concord, Monday preceding } 3d do.
C. P. Newport, - 3d Monday.
—— Providence - 4th do.

JUNE, begins on Friday, 30 days.

Friday,	1	8	15	22	29
Saturday,	2	9	16	23	30
Sunday,	3	10	17	24	
Monday,	4	11	18	25	
Tueſday,	5	12	19	26	
Wedneſday,	6	13	20	27	
Thurſday,	7	14	21	28	

C. F. C. Boſton, - 1ſt day.
—— Newport, - 15th do.
D. F. C. Boſton, - 4th Tueſday.
—— Exeter and Portland, 3d do.
S. J. C. Ipſwich, - 3d do.
—— York, - 4th do.
—— Portland, next after the 4th do.
S. C. Plymouth, N. H. 1ſt Tueſday.
S. C. E. At Hartford, 1ſt Tueſday.
C. P. Pownalborough, 1ſt do.
—— Worceſter, Mond. preed. 2d do.

C.C. Manchef. & Newfa. Mon. pre. 1ſt Tuef.
—— Chelſea, V. Mond. preed. 2d do.
—— Newlondon, - 2d do.
—— Danville, - - laſt Monday.
C. P. Briſtol, - - - 1ſt Monday.

JULY, begins on Sunday, 31 days.

Sunday,	1	8	15	22	29
Monday,	2	9	16	23	30
Tueſday,	3	10	17	24	31
Wedneſday,	4	11	18	25	
Thurſday,	5	12	19	26	
Friday,	6	13	20	27	
Saturday,	7	14	21	28	

S. J. C. Wiſcaſſet, 2d Tuef. after 4th in June.
S. C. Middletown, laſt Tueſday ſave one.
—— Newhaven, - - - laſt Tueſday.
C. P. Boſton, - - 1ſt do.
—— Salem, - - 2d do.

AUGUST, begins on Wedneſ. 31 days.

Wedneſday,	1	8	15	22	29
Thurſday,	2	9	16	23	30
Friday,	3	10	17	24	31
Saturday,	4	11	18	25	
Sunday,	5	12	19	26	
Monday,	6	13	20	27	
Tueſday,	7	14	21	28	

S. F. C. Philadelphia, 1ſt Monday.
D. F. C. Windſor, 1ſt Monday.
——— Newport, 1ſt Tueſday.
——— Newhaven, - 3d do.
S. J. C. Bedham, - - 4th do.
——— Boſton, - - laſt do.
S. C. Newfane, - - 1ſt do.
—— Danbury, - - 2d do.
—— Litchfi. & Woodſtock, V. 3d do.
—— Chelſea, 2d Tuef. next follow. 3d do.
—— Danville, 3d do. do. 3d do.
—— St. Albans, 4th do. do. 3d do.
—— Newport, - - - 4th Monday.
C. P. Plymouth, - - 2d Tueſday.
—— Waterborough, - 4th do.
—— Worceſter, Mond. preced. laſt do.
—— Exeter, - - - 2d do.
—— Southkingſton, - 2d Monday.
—— Eaſtgreenwich, 3d Monday.
—— Gilmantown & Windham, 3d Tuef.

SEPTEMBER, begins on Saturd. 30 days.

Saturday,	1	8	15	22	29
Sunday,	2	9	16	23	30
Monday,	3	10	17	24	
Tueſday,	4	11	18	25	
Wedneſday,	5	12	19	26	
Thurſday,	6	13	20	27	
Friday,	7	14	21	28	

C. F. C. Newyork, 1ſt day.
——— Hartford, 17th do.
D. F. C. Portſmalborough, 1ſt Tuef.
——— Salem, - - - 2d do.
——— Portſmouth, - - 3d do.
S. J. C. Worceſter, - - 3d do.
——— Northampton, - 4th do.
S. C. Hartford & Dover, 1ſt Tueſday.
—— Exeter and Windham, 3d do.
—— Newlondon, - - 4th do.
—— Briſtol, - - 2d Monday.
—— Providence, - 3d Monday.
C. P. Northampton, Mond. prec. 1ſt Tuef.
—— Concord, Taunton, and Lenox, Monday preceding } 2d do.
—— Waldoborough, - 2d Tueſday.
—— Caſtine, - 3d do.
—— Bedham, - laſt do.

C. P. Hopkin. & Plymouth, N.H. 1ſt Tuef.
—— Charleſtown, N. H. 4th do.
C. C. Litchfield, - 3d Tueſday.
—— Tolland - 2d do.
—— Middlebury, Mond. preed. laſt do.
—— Woodſtok, V. Mond. preed. 4th Tuef.
—— Burlington, V. laſt Mond. ſave two.
—— St. Albans, - - 1ſt Monday.

OCTOBER, begins on Monday, 31 days.

Monday,	1	8	15	22	29
Tueſday,	2	9	16	23	30
Wedneſday,	3	10	17	24	31
Thurſday,	4	11	18	25	
Friday,	5	12	19	26	
Saturday,	6	13	20	27	
Sunday,	7	14	21	28	

C. F. C. Rutland, - - 3d day.
——— Boſton, - 20th day.
S. J. C. Lenox, 1ſt Tueſday.
——— Taunton, Tueſd. preceding laſt.
——— Cambridge, - - laſt Tueſday.
S. C. Amherſt, - - - 1ſt do.
—— Keene, - - 3d do.
—— Southkingſton, - 2d Monday.
—— Eaſtgreenwich, - 1ſt do.
C. P. Boſton, Machias, Sherburne, & Newburyport, } 1ſt Tueſd.
—— Portland, - - 3d do.
—— Tilbury, - - laſt do.

NOVEMBER, begins on Thurſd. 30 days.

Thurſday,	1	8	15	22	29
Friday,	2	9	16	23	30
Saturday,	3	10	17	24	
Sunday,	4	11	18	25	
Monday,	5	12	19	26	
Tueſday,	6	13	20	27	
Wedneſday,	7	14	21	28	

C. F. C. Exeter, - - 2d day.
——— Providence, - - 15th do.
D. F. C. Rutland, - 1ſt Monday.
——— Providence, 3d Tueſday.
——— Hartford, - - - 3d do.
S. J. C. Salem, - - - - 2d do.
S. C. Haverhill, N. H. - 1ſt do.
C. P. Barnſtable, - - - 1ſt do.
—— Biddeford, 2d do.
—— Northampton, Mon. prec. 2d do.
—— Plymouth & Cambridge, 3d do.
C. C. Hartford, - - 1ſt do.
—— Middletown - 2d do.
—— Danbury, - - 3d do.
—— Norwich, & Newhaven, 4th do.
—— Newfane, Mond. preed. 2d Tuef.
—— Rutland, do. do. 3d do.
C. P. Newport, - - - - 2d Mond.

DECEMBER, begins on Saturd. 31 days.

Saturday,	1	8	15	22	29
Sunday,	2	9	16	23	30
Monday,	3	10	17	24	31
Tueſday,	4	11	18	25	
Wedneſday,	5	12	19	26	
Thurſday,	6	13	20	27	
Friday,	7	14	21	28	

D. F. C. Boſton & Portland, 1ſt Tueſday.
——— Exeter, - - - 3d do.
S. C. Haddam, - - laſt do.
C. P. Worceſter, Mond. preced. 1ſt do.
—— Taunton, Mond. preced. 2d do.
C. C. Windham, - 2d do.
—— Chelſea, V. Mond. prec. 2d do.
—— Bennington, do. do. 3d do.
C. P. Providence, - - 3d Monday.

JANUARY begins on *Monday*, hath xxxi Days.

JANUARY, according to the present computation, is the first month in the year. It was introduced by Numa into the calendar, and placed at the Winter solstice, where March was before, which Romulus had placed at the vernal equinox. The word is derived from JANUS, to whom the Romans on the first of this month offered solemn sacrifices.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, *&c.*

Days.	☉ in ♑	☿ in ♑	♀ in ♒	♂ in ♏	♃ in ♈	♄ in ♋	♅ in ♍
1	11° 38′	27° 11	8° 49′	20° 41	11° 18′	8° 18′	17° 44′
7	17 45	5♒55	4♓54	24 35	11 54	7 48	17 39
13	23 52	12 28	10 40	28 29	12 37	7 20	17 34
19	29 59	14 20	16 6	2♐23	13 26	6 53	17 26
25	6♒ 5	9 41	21 6	6 18	14 19	6 27	17 18

M. D.	D. W.	Calendar, remarkable days, observations, &c.	☉ rise.	☉ sets.	L. D. H.	L. D. M.	☉ S.	7*s south.
1	2	Circumcision. *Industry*	7 31	4 29	8	58	4	8 39
2	3	K. of Denmark b. 1749	7 31	4 29	8	58	5	8 35
3	4	*and perseverance*	7 30	4 30	9	0	5	8 30
4	5	Sir I. Newton b. 1643.	7 30	4 30	9	0	6	8 26
5	6	[after Christmas.	7 29	4 31	9	2	6	8 22
6	7	Epiphany, or 12th day	7 29	4 31	9	2	6	8 17
7	G	1st Sunday past Epiph.	7 28	4 32	9	4	7	8 13
8	2	*are the sure path*	7 28	4 32	9	4	7	8 9
9	3	*to contentment*	7 27	4 33	9	6	8	8 4
10	4	*and riches.*	7 27	4 33	9	6	8	8 0
11	5	*Avoid those who*	7 26	4 34	9	8	9	7 56
12	6	*meddle with other*	7 25	4 35	9	10	9	7 51
13	7	*people's business.*	7 24	4 36	9	12	9	7 47
14	G	2d p. Epiph. Peace ra-	7 24	4 36	9	12	10	7 42
15	2	(ified by Cong. 1784.	7 23	4 37	9	14	10	7 38
16	3	*Time is more*	7 22	4 38	9	16	10	7 34
17	4	Dr. Franklin bor. 1706.	7 21	4 39	9	18	11	7 29
18	5	Q. of Eng. b. day kept.	7 20	4 40	9	20	11	7 25
19	6	French ent. Holl. 1793.	7 19	4 41	9	22	11	7 21
20	7	Charles I. trial, 1648.	7 18	4 42	9	24	12	7 17
21	G	3d Sun. p. Epiph. Louis	7 17	4 43	9	26	12	7 13
22	2	(XVI behead. 1793.	7 16	4 44	9	28	12	7 9
23	3	*precious than riches.*	7 15	4 45	9	30	12	7 5
24	4	Har. Col. burnt, 1764.	7 14	4 46	9	32	13	7 0
25	5	Conv. St. Paul, A.D. 34	7 12	4 48	9	36	13	6 56
26	6	*Be careful how you*	7 11	4 49	9	38	13	6 52
27	7	*lay by warm ashes.*	7 10	4 50	9	40	13	6 48
28	G	4th Sun. p. Epiphany.	7 9	4 51	9	42	14	6 44
29	2	*Many houses have been*	7 8	4 52	9	44	14	6 40
30	3	Charles I. behead. 1648.	7 7	4 53	9	46	14	6 36
31	4	*burnt thro' carelessness.*	7 6	4 54	9	48	14	6 31

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

● Full moon 2d day, 11th hour, 50 min. morning.
☾ Laſt quarter 9th day, 2d hour, 41 min. morning.
○ New moon 16th day, 8th hour, 5 min. afternoon.
☽ Firſt quarter 25th day, 0 hour, 39 min. morning.
● Full moon 31ſt day. 10th hour. 42 min. afternoon.

M. D.	W. D.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn.	& eve.	● pl	☽ riſe & ſets	● ſou. H.	M.
1	2	Windy.	14	10 8	10 33	♊	6 15	11	28
2	3	*Very high*	●	11 11	11 36	♋	☽ riſe.	morn.	
3	4	☿ *Gr. elongat.*	16	——	0 12	♋	5 46	0	31
4	5	☽ Perigee.	17	0 39	1 4	♌	6 52	1	34
5	6	*tides.*	18	1 39	2 4	♌	7 59	2	34
6	7	Pretty	19	2 36	3 1	♍	9 9	3	31
7	G	cold for	20	3 29	3 54	♍	10 21	4	24
8	2	a few days.	21	4 18	4 43	♎	11 34	5	13
9	3	Cold abates.	22	5 6	5 31	♎	morn.	6	1
10	4	*Low tides.*	23	5 53	6 18	♏	0 45	6	48
11	5	☿ *Gr. elongat.*	24	6 40	7 5	♏	1 51	7	35
12	6	We may	25	7 28	7 53	♐	2 59	8	23
13	7	have	26	8 17	8 42	♐	4 4	9	12
14	G	a ſtorm ;	27	9 9	9 34	♐	5 8	10	4
15	2	then pleaſant	28	10 0	10 25	♑	6 6	10	55
16	3	for winter.	○	10 51	11 16	♑	☽ ſets.	11	46
17	4	Cold.	1	11 39	——	♒	5 42	ev.	36
18	5	*Middling tides.*	2	0 4	0 29	♒	6 43	1	24
19	6	☽ Apogee.	3	0 48	1 13	♓	7 44	2	8
20	7	Look out	4	1 31	1 56	♓	8 47	2	51
21	G	for foul	5	2 12	2 37	♓	9 53	3	32
22	2	weather	6	2 52	3 17	♈	10 57	4	12
23	3	Windy	7	3 33	3 58	♈	morn.	4	53
24	4	Likely	8	4 15	4 40	♉	0 1	5	35
25	5	for a	9	4 59	5 24	♉	1 5	6	19
26	6	ſoutherly	10	5 47	6 12	♉	2 6	7	7
27	7	☉☿♂ *Inferior.*	11	6 40	7 5	♊	3 5	8	0
28	G	ſtorm	12	7 38	8 3	♊	4 0	8	58
29	2	Pleaſan	13	8 39	9 4	♋	4 52	9	59
30	3	for the	14	9 43	10 8	♋	5 41	11	3
31	4	ſeaſon.	●	10 46	11 11	♌	☽ riſe.	morn.	

FEBRUARY begins on *Thurſday*, hath xxviii Days.

FEBRUARY, the ſecond month, reckoning from January. It was added to Romulus's Calendar by Numa Pompilius. The word is derived from *februa*, which was a certain kind of ceremony performed in that month; in which wax candles and flambeaux were lighted at the graves of the dead, and oblations offered to their manes. Some learned authors have given it as their opinion, that it will anſwer to join in wedlock, in this month, as it is a ſhort one, and the honey moon ſoon over.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, *&c.*

Days.	☉ in ♒	☿ in ♒	♀ in ♓	♂ in ♐	♃ in ♈	♄ in ♉	♅ in ♌	♆ in ♍
1	13° 11′	1° 41′	26° 10	10° 43	15° 27	0° 2	17° 3	
7	19 15	28 ♑ 43	29 44	14 37	16 30	5 43	16 49	
13	25 19	0 ♒ 14	2 ♈ 20	18 31	17 36	5 27	16 35	
19	1 ♓ 22	4 40	3 51	22 25	18 47	5 15	16 21	
25	7 24	11 0	4 2	26 18	20 0	5 7	16 8	

M. D.	W. D.	Calendar, remarkable days, obſervations, &c.	☽ riſe.	☽ ſets.	L. D. H.	L. D. M.	☉ S.	7*s ſet.
1	5	*A bad motive*	7 5	4 55	9	50	14	morn.
2	6	Candlemas, or Purifica-	7 4	4 56	9	52	14	1 54
3	7	(tion V. Mary.	7 3	4 57	9	54	14	1 50
4	G	Septua. Ceſſa. arms bet.	7 1	4 59	9	58	14	1 46
5	2	(Am. & G. Br. 1783.	7 0	5 0	10	0	15	1 42
6	3	Alliance with Fr. 1778	6 59	5 1	10	2	15	1 38
7	4	*may ſtimulate*	6 58	5 2	10	4	15	1 34
8	5	*a man to do*	6 56	5 4	10	8	15	1 30
9	6	*a good act; but*	6 55	5 5	10	10	15	1 26
10	7	*he is not to be*	6 53	5 7	10	14	15	1 22
11	G	Sexageſima. *con-*	6 52	5 8	10	16	15	1 18
12	2	*ſidered as meritorious*	6 51	5 9	10	18	15	1 14
13	3	*on that account.*	6 49	5 11	10	22	15	1 10
14	4	Valentine. *You*	6 48	5 12	10	24	15	1 6
15	5	*ſhould now have on*	6 47	5 13	10	26	15	1 2
16	6	*hand one half of your*	6 46	5 14	10	28	15	0 58
17	7	*winter ſtores, both for*	6 44	5 16	10	32	14	0 54
18	G	Quinquageſima. *man*	6 43	5 17	10	34	14	0 50
19	2	*and for beaſt.*	6 41	5 19	10	38	14	0 47
20	3	Shrove Tueſday. *The*	6 40	5 20	10	40	14	0 43
21	4	Aſh Wedneſday. *merit*	6 38	5 22	10	44	14	0 39
22	5	G. WASHING. b. 1732.	6 37	5 23	10	46	14	0 36
23	6	*of an agent, ſhould be*	6 35	5 25	10	50	14	0 32
24	7	St. Matthias. *eſtimated*	6 34	5 26	10	52	14	0 28
25	G	1ſt Sunday in Lent.	6 32	5 28	10	56	13	0 25
26	2	*by the goodneſs of his*	6 31	5 29	10	58	13	0 21
27	3	*deſign; not by the*	6 30	5 30	11	0	13	0 17
28	4	*goodneſs of his act.*	6 29	5 31	11	2	13	0 13

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

☾ Laſt quarter 7th day, 2d hour, 32 min. afternoon.
○ New moon 15th day, 3d hour, 1 min. afternoon.
☽ Firſt quarter 23d day, 4th hour, 0 min. afternoon.

M. D.	W. D.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn.	& eve.		● pl	● riſe & ſets		● ſou. H.	M.
1	5	☽ Perigee. *High*	16	11	49	———	♌	5	46	0	6
2	6	*tides.*	17	0	15	0	40	♍	7	1	1	5
3	7	Signs of	18	1	18	1	43	♍	8	17	2	3
4	G	ſnow; after	19	2	12	2	37	♎	9	30	2	57
5	2	which	20	3	2	3	27	♎	10	44	3	47
6	3	warmer	21	3	51	4	16	♏	11	56	4	36
7	4	for a	22	4	40	5	5	♏	morn.		5	25
8	5	few days,	23	5	29	5	54	♐	1	4	6	14
9	6	which occaſions	24	6	19	6	44	♐	2	10	7	4
10	7	*Low* bad	25	7	10	7	35	♐	3	12	7	55
11	G	*tides.* travelling.	26	8	2	8	27	♑	4	7	8	47
12	2	Colder,	27	8	53	9	18	♑	4	57	9	38
13	3	and likely	28	9	43	10	8	♒	5	39	10	28
14	4	for a	29	10	32	10	57	♒	6	12	11	17
15	5	long ſtorm.	○	11	18	11	43	♒	☽ ſets		ev.	3
16	6	☽ Apogee.	1	———		0	1	♓	6	23	0	46
17	7	Pleaſant	2	0	18	0	43	♓	7	33	1	28
18	G	for the	3	0	59	1	24	♈	8	40	2	9
19	2	ſeaſon.	4	1	40	2	5	♈	9	48	2	50
20	3	Rather	5	2	21	2	46	♈	10	56	3	31
21	4	☿ *Gr. elongat.*	6	3	4	3	29	♉	morn.		4	14
22	5	*Low* cold.	7	3	50	4	15	♉	0	1	5	0
23	6	*tides.*	8	4	40	5	5	♊	1	3	5	50
24	7	Pretty	9	5	34	5	59	♊	2	3	6	44
25	G	windy	10	6	33	6	58	♋	2	58	7	42
26	2	weather;	11	7	33	7	58	♋	3	51	8	43
27	3	but not	12	8	36	9	1	♋	4	39	9	46
28	4	very cold.	13	9	37	10	2	♌	5	19	10	47

VENUS will be *evening* ſtar until the 16th day of March; thence *morning* ſtar to the 30th day of December; and then again ſhe becomes *evening* ſtar.

MARCH begins on *Thurſday*, hath xxxi Days.

MARCH was anciently dedicated to Mars. When figured by Painters it is drawn tawny, with a fierce aſpect, and a helmet on the head, to ſhew to whom it is dedicated. Some of the learned have thought this a good month to marry in, whilſt others have ſuppoſed it much better to clear the ſtomach of its load of billious matter engendered during the winter.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

Days.	☉ in ♓	☿ in ♒	♀ in ♈	♂ in ♐	♃ in ♈	♄ in ♋	♅ in ♓
1	11° 25′	15° 55′	3° 17′	28° 53′	20° 51′	5° 5′	15° 56′
7	17 25	24 8	1 0	2♑ 46	22 9	5 4	15 40
13	23 24	3 ♓ 7	27 ♓ 34	6 38	23 29	5 6	15 24
19	29 21	12 54	23 51	10 30	24 50	5 13	15 9
25	5♈ 18	23 26	20 36	14 19	26 13	5 24	14 54

M. D.	W. D.	Calendar, remarkable days, obſervations, &c.	☉ riſe.	☉ ſets.	L. D. H.	L. D. M.	☉ S.	7*s ſet.
1	5.	*A people, who are*	6 28	5 32	11	4	13	0 9
2	6	*well informed, can never*	6 26	5 34	11	8	12	0 5
3	7	(Fed. conſti. 1789.	6 25	5 35	11	10	12	even.
4	G	2d in L. 1ſt Cong. und.	6 23	5 37	11	14	12	11 54
5	2	Maſſacre Boſton, 1770.	6 22	5 38	11	16	12	11 51
6	3	*patiently ſubmit*	6 20	5 40	11	20	12	11 47
7	4	*to be ſlaves.*	6 18	5 42	11	24	11	11 44
8	5	*A truly wiſe man may*	6 17	5 43	11	26	11	11 40
9	6	*have many faults;*	6 15	5 45	11	30	11	11 37
10	7	*but his wiſdom will*	6 14	5 46	11	32	11	11 33
11	G	3d. Sund. in Lent.	6 12	5 48	11	36	10	11 29
12	2	*cover moſt of them.*	6 11	5 49	11	38	10	11 25
13	3	Planet Herſ. diſc. 1781.	6 10	5 50	11	40	10	11 21
14	4	*It is difficult to*	6 8	5 52	11	44	9	11 17
15	5	*break long eſtabliſhed*	6 7	5 53	11	46	9	11 14
16	6	(by Brit. 1776.	6 6	5 54	11	48	9	11 10
17	7	St. Patrick. Boſt. evac.	6 4	5 56	11	52	9	11 6
18	G	4th Sund. in Lent.	6 3	5 57	11	54	8	11 3
19	2	*habits; be careful*	6 1	5 59	11	58	8	10 59
20	3	Great fire Boſton, 1760	6 0	6 0	12	0	8	10 55
21	4	*therefore, that you*	5 58	6 2	12	4	7	10 52
22	5	Sir I. Newt. died, 1727.	5 57	6 3	12	6	7	10 48
23	6	*eſtabliſh no bad ones.*	5 55	6 5	12	10	7	10 41
24	7	Dr. Prieſtly born, 1733.	5 54	6 6	12	12	6	10 41
25	G	5th Sund. in Lent.	5 52	6 8	12	16	6	10 37
26	2	*Look well to your fires.*	5 51	6 9	12	18	6	10 33
27	3	Print. 1ſt. brot. to Engl.	5 49	6 11	12	22	5	10 30
28	4	(by Caxton, 1471.	5 48	6 12	12	24	5	10 26
29	5	*if you would preſerve*	5 47	6 13	12	26	5	10 23
30	6	*your own property, and*	5 45	6 15	12	30	5	10 19
31	7	*that of your neighbours.*	5 44	6 16	12	32	4	10 14

MARCH, Third Month, 1798.

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

● Full moon 2d day, 8th hour, 34 min. morning.
☾ Laſt quarter 9th day, 5th hour, 9 min. morning.
○ New moon 17th day, 9th hour, 16 min. morning.
☽ Firſt quarter 25th day, 3d hour, 31 min. morning.
● Full moon 31ſt day, 5th hour, 56 min. afternoon.

D. M.	D. W.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn.	& eve.	● pl	● riſe & ſets	● ſou. H. M.
1	5	*Very*	14	10 36	11 1	♌	5 54	11 46
2	6	☽ Perigee.	●	11 32	11 57	♍	☽ riſe	morn.
3	7	*high tides.*	16	——	0 24	♍	7 10	0 42
4	G	Look	17	0 51	1 16	♎	8 20	1 36
5	2	out for	18	1 42	2 7	♎	9 29	2 27
6	3	a ſevere	19	2 33	2 58	♏	10 37	3 18
7	4	ſtorm,	20	3 24	3 49	♏	11 43	4 9
8	5	about	21	4 16	4 41	♐	morn.	5 1
9	6	this	22	5 8	5 33	♐	0 46	5 53
10	7	time.	23	6 1	6 26	♑	1 47	6 46
11	G	*Very*	24	6 54	7 19	♑	2 43	7 39
12	2	*low*	25	7 45	8 10	♒	3 33	8 30
13	3	*tides.*	26	8 34	8 59	♒	4 17	9 19
14	4	Fair	27	9 21	9 46	♒	4 53	10 6
15	5	☽ Apogee.	28	10 5	10 30	♓	5 20	10 50
16	6	☉ ☿ ♂ *Inferior.*	29	10 48	11 13	♓	5 42	11 33
17	7	and pleaſant	○	11 29	11 54	♓	☽ ſets	ev. 14
18	G	Likely	1	——	0 10	♈	7 32	0 55
19	2	for more	2	0 26	0 51	♈	8 40	1 36
20	3	foul	3	1 8	1 33	♉	9 46	2 18
21	4	weather of	4	1 53	2 18	♉	10 49	3 3
22	5	long	5	2 41	3 6	♊	11 49	3 51
23	6	continuance.	6	3 33	3 58	♊	morn.	4 43
24	7	Cold northeaſter-	7	4 29	4 54	♊	0 45	5 39
25	G	☉ ♄ □ ly winds,	8	5 28	5 53	♋	1 39	6 38
26	2	and diſagreeable	9	6 29	6 54	♋	2 31	7 39
27	3	weather.	10	7 29	7 54	♌	3 20	8 39
28	4	*Very*	11	8 28	8 53	♌	4 0	9 38
29	5	*high*	12	9 24	9 49	♍	4 35	10 34
30	6	☽ Perigee. *tides.*	13	10 17	10 42	♍	5 6	11 27
31	7	Warmer.	●	11 10	11 35	♎	☽ riſe	morn.

APRIL begins on *Sunday*, hath xxx Days.

APRIL, in chronology, the fourth month of the year. It is formed from the Latin *Aprilis*, which is derived from *aperico*, to open, because the buds begin to open during this month. Men are *April* when they woo, *December* when they wed : Maids are *May* when they are maids, but the Sky changes when they are wives, says Shakespeare.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

Days.	☉ in ♈	☿ in ♈	♀ in ♓	♂ in ♑	♃ in ♈	♄ in ♋	H in ♍
1	12° 12′	6° 45	18° 22′	18° 47′	27° 52′	5° 42′	14° 38′
7	18 6	18 57	17 59	22 35	29 17	6 1	14 26
13	23 58	1 ♉ 34	18 57	26 21	0 ♉ 48	6 23	14 14
19	29 50	13 38	21 10	0 ♒ 3	2 9	6 48	14 3
25	5 ♉ 40	24 8	24 20	3 43	3 35	7 17	13 52

M. D.	W. D.	Calendar, remarkable days, observations, &c.	☉ rise.	☉ sets.	L. D. H.	L. D. M.	☉ S.	7*s set.
1	G	6th Sund. in Lent.	5 43	6 17	12	34	4	10 10
2	2	Governour and Senate	5 41	6 19	12	38	4	10 6
3	3	(chosen in Massachu.	5 40	6 20	12	40	3	10 3
4	4	*Govern your passions ;*	5 38	6 22	12	44	3	9 59
5	5	*or you will be*	5 37	6 23	12	46	3	9 56
6	6	Good Friday. *hur-*	5 35	6 25	12	50	2	9 52
7	7	*ried into many dif-*	5 34	6 26	12	52	2	9 49
8	G	Easter Suaday.	5 33	6 27	12	54	2	9 45
9	2	Peace ratified by Great	5 31	6 29	12	58	2	9 42
10	3	(Britain, 1784.	5 30	6 30	13	0	1	9 39
11	4	*ficulties : They will*	5 29	6 31	13	2	1	9 35
12	5	*master you, if you*	5 27	6 33	13	6	1	9 32
13	6	*do not master them*	5 26	6 34	13	8	0	9 28
14	7	*A credulous man*	5 24	6 36	13	12	0	9 25
15	G	1st Sund. past Easter.	5 23	6 37	13	14	0	9 22
16	2	Newhamp. settled 1623.	5 21	6 39	13	18	F.	9 18
17	3	Columb. Independ. ac-	5 20	6 40	13	2	1	9 15
18	4	(knowl. by Dutch 1782.	5 18	6 42	13	24	1	9 11
19	5	Bat. of Lexington, 1775.	5 17	6 43	13	26	1	9 8
20	6	*gapes and swallows every*	5 16	6 44	13	28	1	9 4
21	7	*report, but a wise man*	5 14	6 46	13	32	1	9 1
22	G	2d Sunday past Easter.	5 13	6 47	13	34	2	8 57
23	2	St. George pat. Englan.	5 11	6 49	13	38	2	8 53
24	3	*weighs the evidence.*	5 10	6 50	13	40	2	8 49
25	4	St. Mark. *Temper-*	5 9	6 51	13	42	2	8 45
26	5	*ance and exercise keep*	5 8	6 52	13	44	2	8 41
27	6	Maryland settled 1633	5 7	6 53	13	46	3	8 37
28	7	*the body in health*	5 5	6 55	13	50	3	8 33
29	G	3d Sunday past Easter.	5 4	6 56	13	52	3	8 29
30	2	Washing. I. Presi. 1789.	5 3	6 57	13	54	3	8 25

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

☾ Laſt quarter 7th day, 9th hour, 47 min. afternoon.
○ New moon 16th day, 1ſt hour, 36 min. morning.
☽ Firſt quarter 23d day, 11th hour, 24 min. morning.
● Full moon 30th day, 3d hour, 24 min. morning,

M. D.	W. D.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn. & eve.		● pl	● riſe & ſets	● ſo. H. M.
1	G	Fair	15	morn.	0 1	♎	7 29	0 20
2	2	and	16	0 26	0 51	♏	8 39	1 11
3	3	pleaſant	17	1 18	1 43	♏	9 47	2 3
4	4	weather.	18	2 11	2 36	♐	10 51	2 56
5	5	Southerly winds	19	3 5	3 30	♐	11 53	3 50
6	6	☉ ☿ ♂ *Superior.*	20	4 0	4 25	♑	morn.	4 45
7	7	and rain.	21	4 54	5 19	♑	0 50	5 39
8	G	*Very*	22	5 47	6 12	♑	1 41	6 32
9	2	*low*	23	6 37	7 2	♒	2 26	7 22
10	3	*tides.*	24	7 25	7 50	♒	3 3	8 10
11	4	☽ Apogee.	25	8 11	8 36	♓	3 32	8 56
12	5	A ſpell	26	8 54	9 19	♓	3 56	9 39
13	6	of pleaſant	27	9 36	10 1	♓	4 17	10 21
14	7	weather	28	10 17	10 42	♈	4 37	11 2
15	G	for ſeveral	29	10 58	11 23	♈	4 58	11 43
16	2	days.	○	11 39	——	♉	☽ ſets.	ev. 24
17	3	Perhaps	1	0 4	0 23	♉	8 41	1 8
18	4	rain.	2	0 46	1 11	♉	9 46	1 56
19	5	Warm	3	1 37	2 2	♊	10 48	2 47
20	6	☉ ♂ □ and	4	2 32	2 57	♊	11 46	3 42
21	7	pleaſant.	5	3 30	3 55	♋	morn.	4 40
22	G	☉ ♆ ♂ Very	6	4 29	4 54	♋	0 40	5 39
23	2	agreeable	7	5 28	5 53	♌	1 30	6 38
24	3	weather.	8	6 26	6 51	♌	2 12	7 36
25	4	Look out	9	7 21	7 46	♍	2 49	8 31
26	5	for a	10	8 13	8 38	♍	3 22	9 23
27	6	☽ Perigee. long	11	9 4	9 29	♎	3 49	10 14
28	7	ſtorm.	12	9 54	10 19	♎	4 13	11 4
29	G	*Pretty high*	13	10 45	11 10	♏	4 37	11 55
30	2	*tides.*	●	11 35	——	♏	☽ riſe.	morn.

MAY begins on *Tuesday*, hath xxxi Days.

MAY, from *Maius*, the fifth month of the year; the confine of Spring and Summer. It is drawn with a sweet and amiable countenance, clad with a robe of white and green, embroidered with daffodils, hawthorns, &c. If this is not the best season to marry in, all will allow that nature is as prolifick in this month as in any other.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

Days.	☉ in ♉	☿ in ♊	♀ in ♓	♂ in ♒	♃ in ♉	♄ in ♋	♅ in ♍
1	11° 29′	2° 19′	28° 15′	7° 22′	5° 1′	7° 48′	13° 47′
7	17 17	7 47	♈ 2 45	10 57	6 27	8 23	13 44
13	23 5	10 23	7 44	14 28	7 52	8 59	13 41
19	28 51	10 3	13 5	17 53	9 16	9 37	13 38
25	♊ 4 37	7 6	18 44	21 13	10 39	10 18	13 35

M. D.	W. D.	Calendar, remarkable days, observations, &c.	☉ rise.	☉ sets.	L. D. H.	L. D. M.	☉ F.	7*s set.
1	3	St. Tam. Sts. Philip &	5 2	6 58	13	56	3	8 21
2	4	Rhodeisl. Electio. (Jam.	5 1	6 59	13	58	3	8 17
3	5	*Always think twice*	5 0	7 0	14	0	3	8 13
4	6	*before you begin*	4 58	7 2	14	4	4	8 9
5	7	*upon any great under-*	4 57	7 3	14	6	4	8 5
6	G	4th Sund. past Easter.	4 56	7 4	14	8	4	8 2
7	2	*taking; or you may*	4 55	7 5	14	10	4	7 58
8	3	*repent that you thought*	4 54	7 6	14	12	4	7 54
9	4	*once too much.*	4 53	7 7	14	14	4	7 50
10	5	Connect, Election. Lou-	4 52	7 8	14	16	4	7 46
11	6	(is XVI. accd. 1774.	4 51	7 9	14	18	4	7 43
12	7	*Riches are a*	4 50	7 10	14	20	4	7 39
13	G	Rogation Sunday.	4 49	7 11	14	22	4	7 35
14	2	*curse without virtue.*	4 47	7 13	14	26	4	7 31
15	3	☉ eclipsed. Cape Cod	4 46	7 14	14	28	4	☉ 7*s
16	4	(discovered 1602.	4 45	7 15	14	30	4	rise
17	5	Ascension. *Sloth,*	4 44	7 16	14	32	4	morn.
18	6	*like rust, consumes faster*	4 43	7 17	14	34	4	4 21
19	7	Dark day, 1780.	4 42	7 18	14	36	4	4 17
20	G	1st past Ascen. Colum-	4 41	7 19	14	38	4	4 13
21	2	(bus di. aged 59, 1506.	4 40	7 20	14	40	4	4 9
22	3	*than labour wears,*	4 39	7 21	14	42	4	4 5
23	4	*while the used key*	4 38	7 22	14	44	4	4 1
24	5	*is always bright.*	4 37	7 23	14	46	4	3 57
25	6	*Be cleanly in business*	4 37	7 23	14	46	4	3 53
26	7	*and keep your tools*	4 36	7 24	14	48	3	3 49
27	G	Whitsunday. *in order,*	4 35	7 25	14	50	3	3 45
28	2	*it is the first sign*	4 34	7 26	14	52	3	3 41
29	3	☽ eclips. Char. II. rest.	4 34	7 26	14	52	3	3 37
30	4	Massachusetts Election.	4 33	7 27	14	54	3	3 33
31	5	*of a good workman.*	4 32	7 28	14	56	3	3 29

MAY, Fifth Month, 1798.

LUNAR CALCULATIONS. &c.

☾ Laſt quarter 7th day, 3d hour, 21 min. afternoon.
○ New moon 15th day, 3d hour, 20 min. afternoon.
☽ Firſt quarter 22d day, 4th hour, 44 min. afternoon.
● Full moon 29th day, 1ſt hour, 31 min. afternoon.

D. M.	D. W.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn.	& eve.	● pl	● riſe & ſets	● ſo. H.	M.
1	3	We may	15	0 3	0 28	♑	8 53	0	48
2	4	have	16	0 56	1 21	♑	9 54	1	41
3	5	☿ *Gr. elongat.*	17	1 51	2 16	♑	10 51	2	36
4	6	ſome thunder	18	2 46	3 11	♒	11 41	3	31
5	7	ſhowers	19	3 41	4 6	♒	morn.	4	26
6	G	ab out	20	4 34	4 59	♒	0 26	5	19
7	2	this time.	21	5 24	5 49	♒	1 2	6	9
8	3	*Very low*	22	6 11	6 36	♒	1 31	6	56
9	4	☽ Apog. *tides.*	23	6 55	7 20	♓	1 54	7	40
10	5	Vegetation	24	7 37	8 2	♓	2 15	8	22
11	6	revives.	25	8 18	8 43	♈	2 34	9	3
12	7	Likely	26	8 58	9 23	♈	2 55	9	43
13	G	for a	27	9 40	10 5	♉	3 19	0	25
14	2	long	28	10 23	10 48	♉	3 50	11	8
15	3	ſtorm.	○	11 9	11 34	♉	☽ ſets	11	54
16	4	*Middling*	1	——	0 1	♊	8 32	ev.	45
17	5	*tides.*	2	0 30	0 55	♊	9 31	1	40
18	6	Pretty	3	1 27	1 52	♋	10 25	2	37
19	7	pleaſant	4	2 26	2 51	♋	11 15	3	36
20	G	weather	5	3 25	3 50	♌	11 59	4	35
21	2	for a	6	4 23	4 48	♌	morn.	5	33
22	3	number	7	5 17	5 42	♌	0 38	6	27
23	4	of days.	8	6 9	6 34	♍	1 13	7	19
24	5	☽ Per. ☿ *Gr. elong.*	9	6 59	7 24	♍	1 42	8	9
25	6	We ſhall	10	7 48	8 13	♎	2 8	8	58
26	7	have ſoutherly	11	8 37	9 2	♎	2 34	9	47
27	G	☉☿♂ *Inferior.*	12	9 27	9 52	♏	3 2	10	37
28	2	*High* winds	13	10 19	10 44	♏	3 35	11	29
29	3	*tides.* and rain.	●	11 13	11 38	♐	☽ riſ	morn.	
30	4	Warm	15	——	0 6	♐	8 46	0	23
31	5	weather.	16	0 33	1 0	♑	9 40	1	18

JUNE begins on *Friday*, hath xxx Days.

JUNE, the sixth month by vulgar computation, and formerly the fourth, but now also the sixth by civil reckoning. The ancients represent this month by a young man clothed in a mantle of a deep green color, having his head ornamented with a coronet of bents, kingcobs and maidenhair, holding in his left hand an angle, in his right, cancer, and on his arm a basket of flowers.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, *&c.*

Days.	☉ in ♊	☿ in ♊	♀ in ♈	♂ in ♒	♃ in ♉	♄ in ♋	♅ in ♓	♆ in ♐
1	11° 19′	3° 45′	25° 38′	24° 57′	12° 14′	11° 6′	13° 41′	
7	17 4	2 5	1 ♉ 45	28 1	13 33	11 50	13 47	
13	22 48	2 56	8 3	0 55	14 50	12 34	13 53	
19	28 31	6 30	14 28	3 40	16 5	13 19	14 0	
25	4 ♋ 15	12 34	21 0	6 6	17 17	14 5	14 8	

M. D.	W. D.	Calendar, remarkable days, observations, &c.	☉ rise.	☉ sets.	L. D. H.	L. D. M.	☉ F.	7ms rise.
1	6	*Sloth, by bringing*	4 32	7 28	14	56	3	3 25
2	7	*on various diseases,*	4 31	7 29	14	58	3	3 21
3	G	Trinity Sunday.	4 31	7 29	14	58	2	3 17
4	2	Artil. Elec. Bost. Geo.	4 30	7 30	15	0	2	3 13
5	3	(3d K. of Eng. b. 1738.	4 30	7 30	15	0	2	3 9
6	4	Newhamp. Election.	4 29	7 31	15	2	2	3 4
7	5	Mahomet died, 632.	4 29	7 31	15	2	2	3 0
8	6	*absolutely shortens the*	4 29	7 31	15	2	2	2 56
9	7	*lives of the indolent.*	4 28	7 32	15	4	1	2 52
10	G	1st Sunday past Trin.	4 28	7 32	15	4	1	2 48
11	2	St. Barnabas.	4 28	7 32	15	4	1	2 44
12	3	*Lost time is*	4 27	7 33	15	6	1	2 40
13	4	V. Mary died A. D. 40,	4 27	7 33	15	6	1	2 35
14	5	(aged 60.	4 27	7 33	15	6	0	2 31
15	6	*never found again.*	4 27	7 33	15	6	0	2 27
16	7	Consti. Massa. ac. 1780	4 26	7 34	15	8	0	2 23
17	G	2d past Trin. Batt. of	4 26	7 34	15	8	S.	2 19
18	2	(Bunker's hill, 1775	4 26	7 34	15	8	0	2 14
19	3	Longest days, which the	4 26	7 34	15	8	1	2 10
20	4	hands of the diligent	4 26	7 34	15	8	1	2 6
21	5	will well improve.	4 26	7 34	15	8	1	2 2
22	6	*Knowledge and integrity*	4 26	7 34	15	8	1	1 58
23	7	*are indispensable req-*	4 26	7 34	15	8	2	1 54
24	G	St. John Baptist born.	4 26	7 34	15	8	2	1 50
25	2	*uisites in a legislator.*	4 26	7 34	15	8	2	1 46
26	3	*Opinions are not the*	4 26	7 34	15	8	2	1 42
27	4	Days decrease 2 minut.	4 27	7 33	15	6	2	1 38
28	5	Bat. of Monmouth, 1778	4 27	7 33	15	6	3	1 33
29	6	Sts. Peter and Paul.	4 27	7 33	15	6	3	1 30
30	7	*Subjects of legislation.*	4 27	7 33	15	6	3	1 25

JUNE, Sixth Month, 1798.

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, *&c.*

☾ Laſt quarter 6th day, 8th hour, 34 min. morning.
○ New moon 14th day, 2d hour, 19 min. morning.
☽ Firſt quarter 20th day, 9th hour, 3 min. afternoon.
● Full moon 28th day, 0 hour, 51 min. morning.

M. D.	D. W.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn.	& eve.	● pl	● riſe & ſets	● ſo. H. M.
1	6	Warm and	17	1 28	1 53	♑	10 28	2 13
2	7	agreeable	18	2 22	2 47	♒	11 10	3 7
3	G	weather.	19	3 14	3 39	♒	11 44	3 59
4	2	☉H □	20	4 3	4 28	♒	morn.	4 48
5	3	*Very*	21	4 48	5 13	♓	0 10	5 33
6	4	☽ Apog. *low*	22	5 30	5 55	♓	0 31	6 15
7	5	*tides.*	23	6 11	6 36	♈	0 49	6 56
8	6	Perhaps	24	6 51	7 16	♈	1 6	7 36
9	7	thunder.	25	7 31	7 56	♈	1 24	8 16
10	G	Rather	26	8 13	8 38	♉	1 47	8 58
11	2	warm.	27	8 58	9 24	♉	2 16	9 43
12	3	Fine	28	9 47	10 17	♊	2 51	10 32
13	4	weather	29	10 40	11 7	♊	3 36	11 25
14	5	for	○	11 37	——	♊	☽ ſets	ev. 22
15	6	vegetation.	1	0 6	0 37	♋	9 13	1 22
16	7	*High*	2	1 6	1 38	♋	10 1	2 23
17	G	*tides.*	3	2 5	2 37	♌	10 41	3 22
18	2	☽ Perigee.	4	3 5	3 34	♌	11 16	4 19
19	3	Perhaps	5	4 2	4 27	♍	11 47	5 12
20	4	rain.	6	4 52	5 17	♍	morn.	6 2
21	5	☿ *Gr. elongat.*	7	5 41	6 6	♎	0 12	6 51
22	6	Fair	8	6 29	6 54	♎	0 34	7 39
23	7	and	9	7 17	7 42	♏	0 57	8 27
24	G	agreeable	10	8 7	8 32	♏	1 22	9 17
25	2	weather	11	8 59	9 24	♐	1 52	10 9
26	3	for ſeveral	12	9 53	10 18	♐	2 28	11 3
27	4	days.	13	10 48	11 13	♑	3 10	11 58
28	5	Somewhat	●	11 40	——	♑	☽ riſe	morn.
29	6	dry.	15	0 7	0 32	♑	9 8	0 52
30	7	Perhaps rain.	16	● 59	1 24	♒	9 39	1 44

JULY begins on *Sunday*, hath xxxi Days.

JULY, or *Julius*, was ſo called by Mark Anthony, in honour of Julius Ceſar, who was born in this month. It was before called *Quintilis*, as being the fifth month of the year in Romulus's calendar, which began in March. Marriage is not ſtrongly recommended in this month; but it will be well to eat plenty of ſuch ripe fruit as can be procured, to prevent the dyſentery.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, *&c.*

Days.	☉ in ♋	☿ in ♊	♀ in ♌	♂ in ♒	♃ in ♌	♄ in ♋	☊ in ♓
1	9° 58′	20° 55′	27ᶜ 36′	8° 19′	18° 27′	14° 53′	14° 22′
7	15 41	1♋21	4♓18	10 24	19 34	15 40	14 37
13	21 24	13 24	11 7	11 50	20 37	16 26	14 52
19	27 8	26 29	17 58	13 0	21 36	17 13	15 7
25	2♌52	8♌38	24 52	13 46	22 30	17 59	15 22

M. D.	W. D.	Calendar, remarkable days, obſervations, &c.	☉ riſe.	☉ ſets.	L. D. H.	L. D. M.	☉ S.	7*s riſe. H.	7*s riſe. M.
1	G	4th Sunday paſt Trinity.	4 28	7 32	15	4	3	1	21
2	2	Viſitation B. V. Mary	4 28	7 32	15	4	3	1	17
3	3	*The laws of Society*	4 28	7 32	15	4	4	1	13
4	4	INDEPENDENCE of Co-	4 29	7 31	15	2	4	1	10
5	5	(lumbia, 1776.	4 29	7 31	15	2	4	1	6
6	6	*ſhould lay no reſtric-*	4 30	7 30	15	0	4	1	2
7	7	*tions on any man,*	4 30	7 30	15	0	4	0	58
8	G	5th Sunday paſt Trinity.	4 31	7 29	14	58	4	0	54
9	2	*who does no injury*	4 32	7 28	14	56	5	0	50
10	3	Columbus b. in Genoa,	4 32	7 28	14	56	5	0	46
11	4	(1447, lived 59 years.	4 33	7 27	14	54	5	0	42
12	5	*to the perſon, liberty,*	4 34	7 26	14	52	5	0	38
13	6	*property nor good name*	4 34	7 26	14	52	5	0	34
14	7	Anniverſa. Fr. Revolut.	4 35	7 25	14	50	5	0	30
15	G	6th Sunday paſt Trinity.	4 36	7 24	14	48	5	0	25
16	2	Hegira, or flight of Mah.	4 36	7 24	14	48	5	0	21
17	3	Mahomet di. 634, ag. 64.	4 37	7 23	14	46	6	0	17
18	4	Commence. Cambridge	4 38	7 22	14	44	6	0	12
19	5	*of any individual.*	4 38	7 22	14	44	6	0	8
20	6	*Take care never to*	4 39	7 21	14	42	6	0	4
21	7	*ſeem dark and*	4 40	7 ☉	14	40	6	even.	
22	G	7th Sunday paſt Trinity.	4 41	7 19	14	38	6	11	52
23	2	*myſterious, for it is*	4 42	7 18	14	36	6	11	48
24	3	*an unamiable character.*	4 43	7 17	14	34	6	11	44
25	4	Dog days beg. St. James.	4 45	7 15	14	30	6	11	40
26	5	*and is always ſuſpected.*	4 46	7 14	14	28	6	11	36
27	6	*Never boaſt twice in*	4 47	7 13	14	26	6	11	32
28	7	*the ſame company of*	4 48	7 12	14	24	6	11	28
29	G	8th Sunday paſt Trinity.	4 49	7 11	14	22	6	11	24
30	2	*your good deeds; once*	4 50	7 10	14	20	6	11	20
31	3	*is fully ſufficient.*	4 51	7 9	14	18	6	11	17

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

☾ Laſt quarter 6th day, 1ſt hour, 46 min. morning.
○ New moon 13th day, 11th hour, 8 min. morning.
☽ Firſt quarter 20th day, 2d hour, 4 min. morning.
● Full moon 27th day, 1ſt hour, 51 min. afternoon.

M. D.	W. D.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn.	& eve.	● pl	● riſe & ſets	● ſo. H. M.
1	G	Likely	17	1 49	2 14	♒	10 7	2 34
2	2	for thunder	18	2 36	3 1	♓	10 29	3 21
3	3	☽ Apog. *Low*	19	3 19	3 44	♓	10 49	4 4
4	4	*tides.* A ſtorm	0	4 1	4 26	♓	11 7	4 46
5	5	is approaching	21	4 41	5 6	♈	11 27	5 26
6	6	Look out	22	5 21	5 46	♈	11 50	6 6
7	7	☉ ♄ ♂ for rain	23	6 1	6 26	♉	morn.	6 46
8	G	at this time	24	6 44	7 9	♉	0 20	7 29
9	2	A ſpell	25	7 31	7 56	♉	0 55	8 16
10	3	of foggy	26	8 21	8 46	♊	1 41	9 6
11	4	weather.	27	9 16	9 41	♊	2 30	10 1
12	5	Fine	28	10 16	10 41	♋	3 22	11 1
13	6	growing	○	11 18	11 43	♋	☽ ſets.	eve. 3
14	7	weather.	1	———	0 20	♌	8 32	1 5
15	G	*High tides.*	2	0 54	1 19	♌	9 10	2 4
16	2	☽ Perigee.	3	1 50	2 15	♍	9 44	3 0
17	3	Extremely	4	2 43	3 8	♍	10 12	3 53
18	4	warm.	5	3 33	3 58	♎	10 37	4 43
19	5	Expect	6	4 21	4 46	♎	11 2	5 31
20	6	☉ ☿ ♂ *Superior.*	7	5 10	5 35	♏	11 29	6 20
21	7	thunder	8	6 0	6 25	♏	11 51	7 10
22	G	ſhowers.	9	6 51	7 16	♐	morn.	8 1
23	2	A ſpell	10	7 41	8 9	♐	0 29	8 54
24	3	of very	11	8 37	9 2	♐	1 14	9 47
25	4	warm	12	9 32	9 57	♑	2 10	10 42
26	5	weather,	13	10 25	10 50	♑	3 13	1 35
27	6	which is	●	11 16	11 41	♒	☽ riſe.	morn.
28	7	not uncommon	15	———	0 6	♒	8 0	0 26
29	G	at this	16	0 28	0 53	♒	8 27	1 13
30	2	ſeaſon of	17	1 13	1 38	♓	8 51	1 58
31	3	☽ Apog. the year.	18	1 55	2 20	♓	9 14	2 40

AUGUST begins on *Wednesday*, hath xxxi Days.

AUGUST was dedicated to the honour of Augustus Cesar, because in this month he was created consul, thrice triumphant in Rome, subdued Egypt to the Roman Empire, and made an end of civil wars; before that time it was called *Sextilis*, or the sixth from March: It is now the eighth month of the year.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

Days.	☉ in ♌	☿ in ♌	♀ in ♋	♂ in ♒	♃ in ♉	♄ in ♋	H in ♍
1	9° 34′	22° 10′	3° 1′	14° 3′	23° 28′	18° 52′	15° 46′
7	15 19	2♍ 44	9 3	13 48	24 13	19 37	16 7
13	21 4	12 23	16 8	13 3	24 51	20 20	16 28
19	26 51	21 7	24 6	11 54	25 26	21 2	16 49
25	2♍ 38	28 52	1♌ 27	10 27	25 50	21 42	17 10

M. D.	W. D.	Calendar, remarkable days, observations, &c.	☉ rise.	☉ sets.	L. D. H. M.	☉ S.	7*s rise.
1	4	Lammas. *Avoid,*	4 52	7 8	14 16	6	11 13
2	5	*as much as you can,*	4 52	7 8	14 16	6	11 9
3	6	*in mixed companies,*	4 53	7 7	14 14	6	11 5
4	7	*argumentative and*	4 54	7 6	14 12	6	11 2
5	G	First settlers of N. Eng.	4 55	7 5	14 10	5	10 58
6	2	(sailed fr. Eng. 1620.	4 56	7 4	14 8	5	10 54
7	3	*polemical conversations.*	4 57	7 3	14 6	5	10 50
8	4	*Above all things,*	4 58	7 2	14 4	5	10 46
9	5	*and upon all occasions,*	5 0	7 0	14 0	5	10 42
10	6	Abolition of Royalty in	5 1	6 59	13 58	5	10 39
11	7	(France, in 1792.	5 2	6 58	13 56	5	10 35
12	G	10th past Trin. British	5 4	6 56	13 52	5	10 31
13	2	(prince of W. b. 1762.	5 5	6 55	13 50	4	10 27
14	3	*avoid speaking of your-*	5 6	6 54	13 48	4	10 23
15	4	Gunpowder disc. 1330.	5 7	6 53	13 46	4	10 19
16	5	*self, if it be possible.*	5 9	6 51	13 42	4	10 15
17	6	*A prudent reserve*	5 10	6 50	13 40	4	10 11
18	7	*is as necessary as*	5 11	6 49	13 38	3	10 8
19	G	11th Sun. past. Trin.	5 13	6 47	13 34	3	10 4
20	2	*a seeming openness*	5 14	6 46	13 32	3	10 0
21	3	*is prudent.*	5 15	6 45	13 30	3	9 57
22	4	Commenc. Dart. Col.	5 16	6 44	13 28	3	9 53
23	5	Late K. of Fran. b. 1754.	5 18	6 42	13 24	2	9 50
24	6	St. Bartholomew.	5 19	6 41	13 22	2	9 47
25	7	*He who boasts of*	5 20	6 40	13 20	2	9 43
26	G	12th Sunday past Trin.	5 22	6 38	13 16	1	9 40
27	2	*his own great exploits*	5 23	6 37	13 14	1	9 36
28	3	*will assuredly*	5 24	6 36	13 12	1	9 32
29	4	St. John Bap. behead.	5 26	6 34	13 8	1	9 28
30	5	*raise the ridicule*	5 27	6 33	13 6	0	9 24
31	6	*of others.*	5 29	6 31	13 2	0	9 20

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

☾ Laſt quarter 4th day, 5th hour, 32 min. afternoon.
○ New moon 11th day, 6th hour, 44 min. afternoon.
☽ Firſt quarter 18th day, 9th hour, 22 min. morning.
● Full moon 26th day, 4th hour, 44 min. morning.

D. M.	D. W.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn.	& eve.	● pl	● riſe & ſets	● ſo. H. M.
1	4	Exceſſive	19	2 36	3 1	♈	9 38	3 21
2	5	heat.	20	3 16	3 41	♈	10 6	4 1
3	6	*Low*	21	3 56	4 21	♈	10 46	4 41
4	7	*tides.*	22	4 38	5 3	♉	11 20	5 23
5	G	Perhaps	23	5 22	5 47	♉	morn.	6 7
6	2	thunder	24	6 10	6 35	♊	0 10	6 55
7	3	ſhowers.	25	7 1	7 26	♊	1 4	7 46
8	4	Heat	26	7 58	8 23	♋	1 58	8 43
9	5	abates.	27	8 59	9 24	♋	2 56	9 44
10	6	Much	28	10 1	10 26	♌	3 58	10 46
11	7	*Very* cooler.	○	11 3	11 80	♌	☽ ſets	11 48
12	G	*high tides.*	1	——	0 2	♍	7 34	ev. 47
13	2	☽ Perigee.	2	0 33	0 58	♍	8 1	1 43
14	3	Perhaps	3	1 26	1 51	♎	8 25	2 36
15	4	rain.	4	2 17	2 42	♎	8 49	3 27
16	5	We may	5	3 8	3 33	♏	9 15	4 18
17	6	☉☌☿ □ have	6	3 58	4 23	♏	9 46	5 8
18	7	a ſpell	7	4 50	5 15	♏	10 23	6 0
19	G	of dry	8	5 43	6 8	♐	11 5	6 53
20	2	weather.	9	6 37	7 2	♐	11 59	7 47
21	3	*Low*	10	7 32	7 57	♑	morn.	8 42
22	4	*tides.*	11	8 25	8 50	♑	1 1	9 35
23	5	Rather	12	9 16	9 41	♒	2 4	10 26
24	6	cool	13	10 4	10 29	♒	3 8	11 14
25	7	mornings	14	10 50	11 15	♒	4 14	morn.
26	G	and	●	11 33	1 58	♓	☽ riſe	0 0
27	2	evenings.	16	——	0 19	♓	7 19	0 43
28	3	☽ Apogee.	17	0 39	1 4	♈	7 42	1 24
29	4	Pretty	18	1 21	1 45	♈	8 6	2 5
30	5	warm.	19	2 0	2 25	♈	8 34	2 45
31	6	☿ *Gr. Elong.* ☉☌♂	20	2 40	3 5	♉	9 8	3 25

SEPTEMBER begins on *Saturday*, hath xxx Days.

SEPTEMBER, hath its name from being the seventh month from March inclusive. It is represented, by eminent painters, by a man with a cheerful countenance, clothed in a purple robe. It will answer to marry this month, especially if the ceremony is delayed until after the equinoxial storm, or when the sun has crossed the line; but be sure to lay in a good harvest.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

Days.	☉ in ♍	☿ in ♎	♀ in ♌	♂ in ♓	♃ in ♉	♄ in ♑	H in ♍
1	9° 24′	6° 23	9° 53′	8° 35′	26° 12′	22° 25′	17° 37′
7	15 14	11 3	17 8	7 0	26 24	23 1	17 59
13	21 5	13 12	24 27	5 37	26 31	23 35	18 21
19	26 56	11 43	1♎48	4 36	26 28	24 5	18 44
25	2♎49	6 20	9 10	3 59	26 29	24 33	19 7

D. M.	D. W.	Calendar, remarkable days, observations, &c.	☉ rise.	☉ sets.	L. D. H. M.	☉ F.	7*s south.
1	7	Night's length 11*h.*	5 30	6 30	13 0	0	morn.
2	G	13th Sun. past Trinity.	5 31	6 29	12 58	1	4 43
3	2	Old Style ceased, 1752.	5 33	6 27	12 54	1	4 39
4	3	Dog d. end. Ver. Elec.	5 34	6 26	12 52	1	4 36
5	4	Commence. Williams-	5 35	6 25	12 50	2	4 32
6	5	(town and Providence.	5 37	6 23	12 46	2	4 29
7	6	Night's len. 11*h.* 56. m.	5 38	6 22	12 44	2	4 25
8	7	Nativity B. Vir. Mary.	5 39	6 21	12 42	3	4 22
9	G	14th past Trinity.	5 41	6 19	12 38	3	4 18
10	2	*Always look people*	5 42	6 18	12 36	3	4 15
11	3	*modestly in the face*	6 44	6 16	12 32	4	4 11
12	4	Commence. N. Haven	5 45	6 15	12 30	4	4 8
13	5	Newlond. burnt, 1781.	5 47	6 13	12 26	4	4 5
14	6	Holy Cross.	5 48	6 12	12 24	5	4 2
15	7	Newyork taken, 1777.	5 50	6 10	12 20	5	3 58
16	G	15th past Trinity.	5 51	6 9	12 18	5	3 54
17	2	*when you speak to them.*	5 53	6 7	12 14	6	3 51
18	3	*Adapt your conversa-*	5 54	6 6	12 12	6	3 47
19	4	Trimount named Bos-	5 56	6 4	12 8	6	3 44
20	5	(ton, 1630.	5 57	6 3	12 6	7	3 40
21	6	St. Matthew.	5 58	6 2	12 4	7	3 36
22	7	Geo. 3d. crown. 1761.	6 0	6 0	12 0	7	3 33
23	G	16th past Trinity.	6 2	5 58	11 56	8	3 29
24	2	*tion to the people you*	6 3	5 57	11 54	8	3 26
25	3	*are talking with.*	6 4	5 56	11 52	8	3 22
26	4	*Loud laughter is the*	6 6	5 54	11 48	9	3 19
27	5	*mirth of the rabble.*	6 7	5 53	11 46	9	3 15
28	6	Harv. Col. found. 1636.	6 9	5 51	11 42	9	3 12
29	7	St. Michael.	6 10	5 50	11 40	10	3 8
30	G	17th past Trin.	6 12	5 48	11 36	10	3 4

SEPTEMBER, Ninth Month, 1798.

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

☾ Laſt quarter 3d day, 7th hour, 41 min. morning.
○ New moon 10th day, 2d hour, 19 min. morning.
☽ Firſt quarter 16th day, 8 hour, 3 min. afternoon.
● Full moon 24th day, 9th hour, 20 min. afternoon.

♎	♎	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn.	& eve.	● pl	● riſe & ſets	● ſo. H. M.
1	7	We ſhall	21	3 23	3 48	♉	9 48	4 8
2	G	have	22	4 9	4 34	♊	10 38	4 54
3	2	a long	23	4 58	5 23	♊	11 32	5 43
4	3	ſpell	24	5 52	6 17	♊	morn.	6 37
5	4	of rainy	25	6 49	7 14	♋	0 28	7 34
6	5	weather,	26	7 49	8 14	♋	1 26	8 34
7	6	abou	27	8 51	9 16	♌	2 28	9 36
8	7	theſe	28	9 51	10 16	♌	3 33	10 36
9	G	*Very* days.	29	10 49	11 14	♍	4 40	11 34
10	2	☽ Perig. ☉ ☌ ♂	○	11 44	——	♍	☽ ſets.	ev. 29
11	3	*high*	1	0 10	0 37	♎	6 59	1 22
12	4	*tides.*	2	1 4	1 29	♎	7 24	2 14
13	5	Warm	3	1 57	2 22	♏	7 54	3 7
14	6	and	4	2 50	3 15	♏	8 29	4 0
15	7	pleaſant	5	3 44	4 9	♐	9 11	4 54
16	G	for many	6	4 40	5 5	♐	10 4	5 50
17	2	days ;	7	5 35	6 0	♑	11 4	6 45
18	3	*Low*	8	6 29	6 54	♑	morn.	7 39
19	4	*tides.*	9	7 22	7 47	♑	0 5	8 32
20	5	but at	10	8 11	8 36	♒	1 8	9 21
21	6	length	11	8 57	9 22	♒	2 13	10 7
22	7	comes	12	9 41	10 6	♓	3 19	10 51
23	G	a long	13	10 23	10 48	♓	4 25	11 33
24	2	☽ Apogee. ſtorm.	●	11 3	11 28	♓	☽ riſe.	morn.
25	3	Expect	15	11 53	——	♈	6 17	0 13
26	4	ſoutherly	16	0 8	0 33	♈	6 44	0 53
27	5	☉ ☿ ☌ ♂ *Inferior.*	17	0 49	1 14	♉	7 17	1 34
28	6	winds	18	1 31	1 56	♉	7 56	2 16
29	7	and	19	2 15	2 40	♉	8 45	3 0
30	G	rain.	20	3 3	3 28	♊	9 38	3 48

OCTOBER begins on *Monday*, hath xxxi Days.

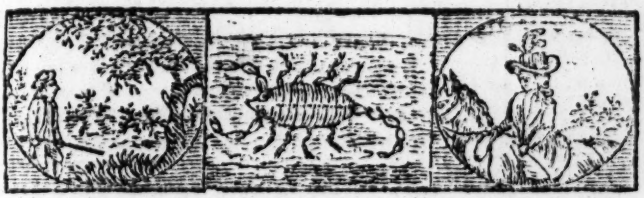
OCTOBER, in chronology, is the tenth month of the Julian year; it obtained the name of October from its being the eighth month of the calendar of Romulus. October is drawn in a garment of yellow and carnation; upon his head a garland of oak leaves; in his right hand the sign Scorpio; in his left a basket of serviſes.—This was the cuſtom of the ancients.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, *&c.*

Days.	☉ in ♎	☿ in ♎	♀ in ♍	♂ in ♐	♃ in ♉	♄ in ♋	H in ♍
1	8° 43′	0° 10′	16° 35′	3° 50′	26° 1′	24° 58′	19° 30′
7	14 38	28♍25	24 0	4 10	25 38	25 19	19 53
13	20 35	2♎35	1♎27	4 56	25 8	25 37	20 17
19	26 33	10 34	8 56	6 10	24 34	25 51	20 41
25	2♍32	20 7	16 26	7 45	23 53	26 1	21 5

D. M.	D. W.	Calendar, remarkable days, obſervations, &c.	☉ riſe.	☉ ſets.	L. D. H. M.	☾ F.	7*s ſouth.
1	2	*Cautiouſly avoid*	6 13	5 47	11 34	10	3 0
2	3	*talking of either*	6 15	5 45	11 30	11	2 56
3	4	*your own or other*	6 16	5 44	11 28	11	2 52
4	5	*people's domeſtic affairs,*	6 17	5 43	11 26	11	2 49
5	6	*when in company.*	6 19	5 41	11 22	12	2 45
6	7	*Take care never to re-*	6 20	5 40	11 20	12	2 41
7	G	18th paſt Trinity.	6 21	5 39	11 18	12	2 38
8	2	Gov. Han. d. '93. Trea.	6 23	5 37	11 14	12	2 35
9	3	(with Holland, 1782.	6 24	5 36	11 12	13	2 32
10	4	*peat in one company,*	6 26	5 34	11 8	13	2 29
11	5	*the private concerns you*	6 27	5 33	11 6	13	2 25
12	6	*have heard in another.*	6 29	5 31	11 2	13	2 21
13	7	*Deliberately form an*	6 30	5 30	11 0	14	2 17
14	G	19th paſt Trinity.	6 31	5 29	10 58	14	2 13
15	2	*opinion of your own, but*	6 33	5 27	10 54	14	2 9
16	3	*deliver it with modeſty.*	6 34	5 26	10 52	14	2 5
17	4	Burgoyne taken, 1777.	6 36	5 24	10 48	15	2 1
18	5	St. Luke Evangeliſt.	6 37	5 23	10 46	15	1 57
19	6	Preſid. Adams b. 1735.	6 38	5 22	10 44	15	1 54
20	7	(Cornwallis tak. 1781.	6 39	5 21	10 42	15	1 50
21	G	20th paſt Trinity.	6 41	5 19	10 38	15	1 46
22	2	*We are as often*	6 42	5 18	10 36	15	1 43
23	3	Columbus diſcov. this	6 44	5 16	10 32	16	1 39
24	4	(Continent, 1492.	6 45	5 15	10 30	16	1 35
25	5	Criſpin pat. Shoemak.	6 46	5 14	10 28	16	1 31
26	6	*duped by diffidence,*	6 48	5 12	10 24	16	1 27
27	7	*as by confidence,*	6 49	5 11	10 22	16	1 23
28	G	21ſt paſt Trin. Sts. Si	6 51	5 9	10 18	16	1 19
29	2	(mon and Jude.	6 52	5 8	10 16	16	1 15
30	3	*yet we ſhould never be*	6 54	5 6	10 12	16	1 12
31	4	*wanting in modeſty.*	6 55	5 5	10 10	16	1 8

OCTOBER, Tenth Month, 1798.



LUNAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

☾ Laſt quarter 2d day, 7th hour, 47 min. afternoon.
○ New moon 9th day, 10th hour, 53 min. morning.
☽ Firſt quarter 16th day, 10th hour, 33 min. morning.
● Full moon 24th day, 2d hour, 50 min. afternoon.

M. D.	W. D.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	● A.	High water, morn.	& eve.	● pl	● riſes & ſets	● ſou. H. M.
1	2	Coo	21	3 54	4 19	♊	10 33	4 39
2	3	weather	22	4 49	5 14	♋	11 30	5 34
3	4	for a	23	5 47	6 12	♋	morn	6 32
4	5	few	24	6 46	7 11	♌	● 31	7 31
5	6	days.	25	7 44	8 9	♌	1 35	8 29
6	7	Warmer.	26	8 41	9 6	♍	2 41	9 26
7	G	*Very*	27	9 36	10 1	♍	3 50	0 21
8	2	☽ Perigee.	28	10 30	10 55	♎	5 0	11 15
9	3	*high*	○	11 22	11 47	♎	☽ſets	eve. 7
10	4	*tides.*	1	——	0 16	♏	6 5	1 1
11	5	Windy	2	0 44	1 9	♏	6 34	1 54
12	6	☿ *Gr. elongat.*	3	1 39	2 4	♐	7 5	2 49
13	7	Now	4	2 36	3 1	♐	7 50	3 46
14	G	expect	5	3 34	3 59	♐	8 42	4 44
15	2	a long	6	4 30	4 55	♑	9 41	5 40
16	3	*Low* north-	7	5 24	5 49	♑	10 42	6 34
17	4	*tides.* eaſterly	8	6 15	6 40	♒	11 44	7 25
18	5	☉☌♄ □ ſtorm.	9	7 3	7 28	♒	norn.	8 18
19	6	Wet.	10	7 47	8 12	♓	0 48	8 57
20	7	Froſty.	11	8 29	8 54	♓	1 53	9 39
21	G	☽ Apogee.	12	9 9	9 34	♓	2 59	10 19
22	2	Fair	13	9 49	10 14	♈	4 7	10 59
23	3	and	14	10 29	10 51	♈	5 16	11 39
24	4	pleaſant	●	11 11	11 36	♉	☽riſe	norn.
25	5	weather.	16	——	0 1	♉	5 48	0 21
26	6	*Middling*	17	0 26	0 44	♉	6 30	1 5
27	7	*tides.*	18	1 7	1 32	♊	7 21	1 52
28	G	There	19	1 57	2 22	♊	8 17	2 42
29	2	may	20	2 50	3 15	♋	9 14	3 35
30	3	be ſome	21	3 40	4 11	♋	10 14	4 31
31	4	rain.	22	4 43	5 8	♋	11 17	5 28

NOVEMBER begins on *Thurſday*, hath xxx Days.

NOVEMBER, got its name as being the ninth month of Romulus's year, which began in March. November is drawn in a garment of changeable green, and black upon his head. The man who has his cage ready, and well prepared, may catch the bird; but he muſt by no means neglect ſowing his grain for another year, when he will, probably, have more occaſion for it than ever.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, *&c.*

Days.	☉ in ♏	☿ in ♏	♀ in ♎	♂ in ♓	♃ in ♉	♄ in ♋	♅ in ♐
1	9° 32′	1° 41′	25° 11	10° 1	23° 0	26° 9′	21° 12′
7	15 34	11 31	2♏ 42	12 16	22 12	26 10	21 27
13	21 36	21 8	10 14	14 47	21 23	26 9	21 42
19	27 40	0♐ 37	17 47	17 21	20 31	26 1	21 56
25	3♐ 44	9 59	25 20	20 24	19 46	25 51	21 10

N. D.	W. D.	Calendar, remarkable days, obſervations, &c.	☉ riſe.	☉ ſets.	L. D. H.	L. D. M.	☽ F.	7*s ſouth. H.	7*s ſouth. M.
1	5	All Saints day.	6 56	5 4	10	8	16	1	4
2	6	Night's length 13h. 56m.	6 58	5 2	10	4	16	1	0
3	7	Ame. arm. diſb. in 1783.	6 59	5 1	10	2	16	0	56
4	G	22d paſt Trinity.	7 0	5 0	10	0	16	0	52
5	2	Brit. gunpowder plot.	7 2	4 58	9	56	16	0	48
6	3	Nights' length 14 h. 6 m.	7 3	4 57	9	54	16	0	44
7	4	☉ eclipſed.	7 4	4 56	9	52	16	0	40
8	5	*Prepare for winter*	7 5	4 55	9	50	16	0	36
9	6	Firſt ſetlers ſaw Cape	7 6	4 54	9	48	16	0	32
10	7	(Cod, 1620.	7 7	4 53	9	46	16	0	28
11	G	Do. arrived at Plymouth.	7 8	4 52	9	44	16	0	24
12	2	*Timorous minds*	7 9	4 51	9	42	16	0	20
13	3	*are much more in-*	7 10	4 50	9	40	15	0	16
14	4	*clined to deliberate*	7 11	4 49	9	38	15	0	12
15	5	*than reſolve.*	7 12	4 48	9	36	15	0	8
16	6	*Flexibility is the*	7 13	4 47	9	34	15	☉ 7*ſ	
17	7	*moſt requiſite qualifica*	7 14	4 46	9	32	15	even.	
18	G	24th paſt Trin. Great	7 15	4 45	9	30	14	11	52
19	2	(earthq. in N. F. 1755	7 16	4 44	9	28	14	11	47
20	3	*tion for the manage*	7 17	4 43	9	26	14	11	43
21	4	*ment of great affairs.*	7 18	4 42	9	24	14	11	38
22	5	*We ought never*	7 19	4 41	9	22	13	11	34
23	6	☽ eclipſed.	7 20	4 40	9	20	13	11	30
24	7	*to*	7 21	4 39	9	18	13	11	26
25	G	25th Sunday paſt Trini.	7 22	4 38	9	16	13	11	21
26	2	*contend for what*	7 23	4 37	9	14	12	11	17
27	3	*we are not likely*	7 24	4 36	9	12	12	11	13
28	4	*to obtain.*	7 24	4 36	9	12	12	11	9
29	5	Nights' length 14h. 48m.	7 25	4 35	9	10	11	11	5
30	6	St. Andrew, apoſtle.	7 26	4 34	9	8	11	11	1

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, &c.

☾ Laſt quarter 1ſt day, 5 h hour, 48 min. morning.
○ New moon 7th day, 9 h hour, 8 min. afternoon.
☽ Firſt quarter 15 h day, 4 h hour, 38 min. morning.
● Full moon 23 I day, 8th hour, 1 min. morning.
☾ Laſt quarter 30th day. 2 I hour, 11 min. afternoon.

M. D.	W. D.	Tides, Aſpects, Weather, &c.	☉ R.	High water, morn. & eve.		☽	☉ riſes & ſets	☽ ſou.
				h. m.	h. m.		h. m.	h. m.
1	5	We may	23	5 40	6 5	♌	morn.	6 25
2	6	have	24	6 36	7 1	♌	0 23	7 21
3	7	a little	25	7 29	7 54	♍	1 32	8 14
4	G	ſnow	26	8 21	8 46	♍	2 42	9 6
5	2	*Very* about	27	9 12	9 37	♎	3 55	9 57
6	3	☽ Perigee. this	28	10 3	10 28	♎	5 10	10 48
7	4	*nigh* time:	○	10 55	11 20	♏	☽ ſet	11 40
8	5	*tides.* Then	1	11 49	——	♏	5 21	ev. 34
9	6	warmer	2	0 17	0 46	♐	6 0	1 31
10	7	for a	3	1 19	1 44	♐	6 50	2 29
11	G	day or	4	2 18	2 43	♑	7 47	3 28
12	2	two.	5	3 15	3 40	♑	8 46	4 25
13	3	☉☌☿ Signs	6	4 8	4 33	♒	9 46	5 18
14	4	☽☌♂ *Superior.*	7	4 57	5 22	♒	10 48	6 7
15	5	of foul	8	5 43	6 8	♒	11 51	6 53
16	6	*Low* weather.	9	6 26	6 51	♓	morn.	7 36
17	7	*tides.*	10	7 6	7 31	♓	0 55	8 16
18	G	☽ Apogee.	11	7 46	8 11	♈	2 1	8 56
19	2	Pretty	12	8 25	8 50	♈	3 7	9 35
20	3	cold.	13	9 6	9 31	♈	4 15	10 16
21	4	Pleaſant.	14	9 49	10 14	♉	5 22	10 59
22	5	Perhaps	15	10 34	10 59	♉	6 24	11 44
23	6	*Tides* ſnow.	●	11 29	11 48	♊	☽ riſe	morn.
24	7	*ſwell.*	17	——	0 13	♊	5 43	0 33
25	G	Not	18	0 41	1 6	♋	6 40	1 26
26	2	very	19	1 37	2 2	♋	7 39	2 22
27	3	cold	20	2 35	3 0	♋	8 40	3 20
28	4	for the	21	3 32	3 57	♌	9 45	4 17
29	5	ſeaſon.	22	4 27	4 52	♌	10 53	5 12
30	6	Pleaſant.	23	5 20	5 45	♍	morn.	6 5

DECEMBER begins on *Saturday*, hath xxxi Days.

DECEMBER, was ſo named as being the tenth month of Romulus's calendar. It may be prudent for young men and maids to join in wedlock in this month; but it will ill become an old man, in the December of life, to unite himſelf either to a briſk widow, or a young virgin; or an old woman to a young man. Young people ſhould think of dying, and old ones of the grave.

SOLAR CALCULATIONS, *&c.*

Days.	☉ in ♐	☿ in ♐	♀ in ♐	♂ in ♓	♃ in ♉	♄ in ♋	♅ in ♓	♆ in ♏
1	9° 49′	10° 19′	2° 52′	23° 26	19° 3	25° 36′	22° 18′	
7	15 55	28 35	10 26	26 37	18 22	25 19	22 24	
13	22 1	7♑44	17 59	29 54	17 46	24 58	22 30	
19	28 8	16 27	25 32	3♈18	17 17	24 35	22 35	
25	4♑ 15	23 52	3♑ 5	6 46	16 54	24 9	22 40	

M. D.	W. D.	Calendar, remarkable days, obſervations, &c.	☉ riſe.	☉ ſets.	L. D. H. M.	☽ F.	7*s ſouth.
1	7	Nights' leng 14h. 32m.	7 26	4 34	9 8	11	10 57
2	G	Advent Sunday.	7 27	4 33	9 6	10	10 53
3	2	*In momentous affairs,*	7 28	4 32	9 4	10	10 48
4	3	*no ſtep is indifferent.*	7 28	4 32	9 4	9	10 44
5	4	*Nothing convinces*	7 29	4 31	9 2	9	10 40
6	5	*perſons of a weak un-*	7 29	4 31	9 2	8	10 35
7	6	Newport taken, 1776.	7 30	4 30	9 0	8	10 31
8	7	Newſpap. firſt publiſh-	7 30	4 30	9 0	8	10 27
9	G	(ed in Paris, 1631.	7 31	4 29	8 58	7	10 22
10	2	*derſtanding ſo effec-*	7 31	4 29	8 58	7	10 18
11	3	*tually as what they do*	7 31	4 29	8 58	6	10 14
12	4	*not comprehend.*	7 32	4 28	8 56	6	0 9
13	5	*The faults of our*	7 32	4 28	8 56	5	10 4
14	6	*friends ought never to*	7 32	4 28	8 56	5	9 59
15	7	*make us angry ſo*	7 33	4 27	8 54	4	9 55
16	G	3d Sund. in Adv. Tea	7 33	4 27	8 54	4	9 50
17	2	(deſtro. in Boſ. 1773	7 33	4 27	8 54	3	9 46
18	3	*far as to give our*	7 34	4 26	8 52	3	9 41
19	4	*enemies an advantage.*	7 34	4 26	8 52	2	9 37
20	5	Nights' length 15h. 8m.	7 34	4 26	8 52	2	9 33
21	6	St. Thomas.	7 34	4 26	8 52	1	9 28
22	7	Shorteſt days, and	7 34	4 26	8 52	1	9 23
23	G	4th Sunday in Advent.	7 34	4 26	8 52	0	9 19
24	2	Longeſt Nights.	7 34	4 26	8 52	S.	9 15
25	3	Chriſtmas. *Vain*	7 34	4 26	8 52	1	9 10
26	4	St. Stephen. *are*	7 34	4 26	8 52	1	9 6
27	5	St. John Evangeliſt.	7 33	4 27	8 54	2	9 1
28	6	*all things under the*	7 33	4 27	8 54	2	8 57
29	7	*Sun, Time flies away,*	7 33	4 27	8 54	3	8 53
30	G	1ſt Sund. paſt Chriſtm:	7 32	4 28	8 56	3	8 48
31	2	*the year is done!*	7 32	4 28	8 56	4	8 44

DECEMBER, Twelfth Month, 1798.

LUNAR CALCULATIONS, *&c.*

☾ New moon 7th day, 9th hour, 20 min. morning.
☽ First quarter 15th day, 1st hour, 23 min. morning.
● Full moon 22d day, 11th hour, 34 min. afternoon.
☾ Last quarter 29th day, 9th hour, 54 min. afternoon.

D. M.	W. D.	Tides, Aspects, Weather, &c.	☉ A.	High water, morn.	& eve.	☉ pl	☉ rise & sets	☉ sou. H. M.
1	7	Look	24	6 10	6 35	♐	0 3	6 55
2	G	out for	25	6 59	7 24	♑	1 15	7 44
3	2	a long	26	7 47	8 12	♑	2 28	8 32
4	3	☽ Perigee. storm	27	8 36	9 1	♏	3 44	9 21
5	4	*Pretty* about	28	9 28	9 53	♏	5 0	10 13
6	5	*high* this	29	10 22	10 47	♐	6 16	11 7
7	6	*tides.* time.	☾	11 19	11 44	♐	☽ sets.	eve. 4
8	7	Windy	1	——	0 18	♑	5 36	1 3
9	G	and	2	0 51	1 16	♑	6 34	2 1
10	2	cold	3	1 46	2 11	♑	7 33	2 56
11	3	for	4	2 38	3 3	♒	8 34	3 48
12	4	several	5	3 26	3 51	♒	9 36	4 36
13	5	☉ H □ days.	6	4 10	4 35	♓	0 39	5 20
14	6	*Very*	7	4 52	5 17	♓	11 44	6 2
15	7	*low*	8	5 31	5 56	♈	morn	6 41
16	G	☽ Apogee. *tides.*	9	6 10	6 35	♈	0 50	7 20
17	2	A probability	10	6 50	7 15	♈	1 55	8 0
18	3	of falling	11	7 32	7 57	♉	2 59	8 42
19	4	weather,	12	8 16	8 41	♉	4 1	9 26
20	5	and likely	13	9 3	9 28	♊	5 1	10 13
21	6	to be	●	9 55	10 20	♊	5 58	11 5
22	7	snow.	15	10 50	11 15	♊	☽ rise.	morn.
23	G	Cold.	16	11 44	——	♋	5 2	0 1
24	2	*Middling*	17	0 13	0 38	♋	6 0	0 58
25	3	*tides.*	18	1 12	1 37	♌	7 2	1 57
26	4	Pleasant for	19	2 8	2 33	♌	8 7	2 53
27	5	the season.	20	3 2	3 28	♍	9 14	3 48
28	6	☿ *Gr. elongat.*	21	3 54	4 19	♍	10 23	4 39
29	7	☽ Perigee.	22	4 43	5 8	♎	11 34	5 28
30	G	☉ ☌ ♂ *Superior*	23	5 31	5 56	♎	morn.	6 16
31	2	Fair.	24	6 20	6 45	♏	0 48	7 5

On the ORIGIN *of* ALMANACKS.

AN Almanack is a Book or Table, containing a Calendar of Days and Months, the riſing and ſetting of the Sun, the age of the Moon, the Eclipſes of both Luminaries, &c. Authors are divided with regard to the Etymology of the word; ſome deriving it from the Arabic particle *al*, and *manach*, to count; ſome from *almanah*, Newyear's Gifts, becauſe the Arabian Aſtrologers uſed at the beginning of the year to make preſents of their Ephemerides; and others, from the Teutonic *Almaen-achte*, Obſervations on all the months.

But the moſt ſimple etymology appears from the common ſpelling; the word being compoſed of two Arabic one's, *Al-Manack*, which ſignify the *Diary*. All claſſes of Arabs are commonly much given to the ſtudy of aſtronomy and aſtrology; to both which a paſtoral life, and a ſort of huſbandry, not only incline them, but give them time and leiſure to apply themſelves to them. They never ſow, reap, plant, travel, buy or ſell, or undertake any expedition, or matter, without previouſly conſulting the ſtars, or, in other words, their Almanacks, or ſome of the makers of them. From theſe people, by their vicinity to Europe, this art, no leſs uſeful in one ſenſe than ſtupid and ridiculous in another, hath paſſed over thither; and thoſe aſtronomical compoſitions have ſtill every where not only retained their old Arabic name, but were, like theirs, for a long while, and ſtill are among many European Nations, interſperſed with a great number of aſtrological rules for planting, ſowing, bleeding, purging, &c. down to the cutting of the hair and paring of the nails. Regiomontanus appears to have been the firſt in Europe, however, who reduced Almanacks into their preſent form and method, gave the characters of each year and month, foretold the eclipſes and other phaſes, calculated the motions of the planets, &c. His firſt Almanack was publiſhed in 1474.

Almanack, among antiquaries, is alſo the name given to a kind of inſtrument, uſually of wood, inſcribed with various figures and runic characters, and repreſenting the order of the feaſts, dominical letters, days of the week, and golden number, with other matters neceſſary to be known throughout the year; uſed by the ancient northen nations, in their computations of time, both civil and eccleſiaſtical. Almanacks of this kind are known by various names, among the different nations, wherein they have been uſed; as rimſtocks, prinſtaries, runſtocks, runſtaffs, *ſcipiones Runici Bacculi Annales*, clogs, &c. They appear to have been uſed only by the Swedes, Danes, and Norwegians. From the ſecond of theſe people, their uſe was introduced into England, whence divers remains of them in the counties. Dr. Plot has given the deſcription and figure of one of theſe clogs, found in Staffordſhire, under the title of the *Perpetual Staffordſhire* Almanack. The external figure and matter of theſe calendars appear to have been various. Sometimes they were cut on one or more wooden leaves, bound together after the manner of Books; ſometimes on the ſcabboards of ſwords, or even on daggers; ſometimes on tools and implements, as portable ſteelyards, hammers, the helves of hatchets, flails, &c. Sometimes they are made of braſs or horn; ſometimes of the ſkins of eels, which being drawn over a ſtick properly inſcribed, retained the impreſſions of it. But the moſt uſual form was that of walking ſtaves, or ſticks, which they carried about with them to church, market, &c. Each of theſe ſtaves is divided into three regions; whereof the firſt indicates the ſigns, the ſecond the days of the week and year, and the third the golden number. The characters engraved on them are, in ſome, the ancient Runic; in others, the later Gothick characters of Ulfilus. The ſaints days are expreſſed in

meroglyphicks, ſignificative either of ſome endowment of the ſaint, the manner of his martyrdom, or the like. Thus, againſt the notch for the firſt of March, or St. David's day, is repreſented a harp; againſt the 25th of October, or Criſpin's day, a pair of ſhoes; againſt the 10th of Auguſt, or St. Lawrence's day, a gridiron; and laſtly, againſt newyear's day, a horn, the mark of good drinking, which they gave a looſe to at that ſeaſon.

An Act paſſed the laſt Seſſion of Congreſs, for laying a Stamp Duty on Certificates of Naturalization; Licenſe to practiſe, admiſſion, enrolment or regiſtry of Counſellors, Solicitors, Attorneys, Advocates and Proctors in any Court of the United States; Letters Patent, &c. Charter parties, &c. Receipts or Diſcharges for Legacies, or any part of a perſonal Eſtate, &c. Policies of Inſurance, &c. Exemplifications paſſing the ſeal of Courts; Bonds, Bills of Exchange, Promiſſory Notes; Letters of Attorney; Debentures; Bills of Lading; Inventories of Goods, &c. Certificates of Bank Shares, &c.

BE *it enacted by the Senate and Houſe of Repreſentatives of the United States of America, in Congreſs aſſembled*, That from and after the thirty firſt day of December next, there ſhall be levied, collected and paid throughout the United States, the ſeveral ſtamp duties following, to wit: For every ſkin or piece of vellum, or parchment, or ſheet or piece of paper, upon which ſhall be written or printed any or either of the inſtruments or writings following, to wit: Any certificate of naturalization, five dollars; any licenſe to practice, or certificate of the admiſſion, enrolment or regiſtry of any counſellor, ſolicitor, attorney, advocate or proctor in any court of the United States, the ſum of ten dollars; any grant or letters patent under the ſeal or authority of the United States, except for lands granted for military ſervices, four dollars; any exemplification or certified copy of any ſuch grant or letters patent, two dollars; any charter party, bottomry, or reſpondentia bond, one dollar; any receipt or other diſcharge for or on account of any legacy left by any will or other teſtamentary inſtrument, or for any ſhare or part of a perſonal eſtate divided by force of any ſtatute of diſtributions, the amount whereof ſhall be above the value of fifty dollars, and ſhall not exceed the value of one hundred dollars, twenty five cents; where the amount thereof ſhall exceed the value of one hundred dollars, and ſhall not exceed five hundred dollars, fifty cents; and for every further ſum of five hundred dollars, the additional ſum of one dollar; any policy of inſurance or inſtrument in nature thereof, whereby any ſhips, veſſels or goods going from one diſtrict to another in the United States, or from the United States to any foreign port or place, ſhall be inſured, to wit, if going from one diſtrict to another in the United States, twenty five cents; if going from the United States to any foreign port or place, when the ſum for which inſurance is made ſhall not exceed five hundred dollars, twenty five cents; and when the ſum inſured ſhall exceed five hundred dollars, one dollar: Any exemplification of what nature ſoever, that ſhall paſs the ſeal of any court, other than ſuch as it may be the duty of the clerk of ſuch court to furniſh for the uſe of the United States, or ſome particular ſtate, fifty cents; any bonds, bills, ſingle or penal, foreign or inland bill of exchange, promiſſory note, or other note for the ſecurity of money, according to the following ſcale, viz. on all bonds, bills ſingle or penal, foreign or inland bills of exchange, promiſſory note or other note above twenty dollars, and not exceeding one hundred dollars, ten cents; above one hundred dollars and not exceeding five hundred dollars, twenty five cents; above five hundred and not exceeding one thouſand dollars, fifty cents; above one thouſand dollars, ſeventy five cents: *Provided*, that if any bonds or notes ſhall be payable at or within 60 days, ſuch bonds or notes ſhall be ſubject to only two fifth parts of the duty aforeſaid; and provided, that notes iſſued by any of the Banks now eſtabliſhed, or which hereafter may be eſtabliſhed within the United States, ſhall be ſubject to a duty according to the following ſcale, viz. On all notes not exceeding fifty dollars, at the rate of three fifths of a cent for every dollar; above fifty dollars, and not exceeding one hundred dollars, fifty cents; above one hundred dollars, and not exceeding five hundred dollars, one dollar; above five hundred dollars, two dollars; any proteſt or other notarial act, twenty five cents; any letter of attorney, except for invalid penſions, or to obtain or ſell warrants for lands granted by the United States as bounty for military ſervices performed in the late war, twenty five cents; any certificate or debenture for drawback of cuſtoms or duties for leſs than five hundred dollars, one dollar; any certificate or debenture for five hundred dollars, and not exceeding two thouſand dollars, two dollars; and on every certificate or debenture for more than two thouſand dollars, three dollars; any note or bill of lading for any goods or merchandize to be exported, if from one diſtrict to another diſtrict of the United States, not being in the ſame ſtate, ten cents; if to be exported to any foreign port or place, twenty five cents; any inventory or catalogue of any furniture, goods or effects, made in any caſe required by law (except in caſes of goods and chattels diſtrained for rent or taxes, and goods taken in virtue of any legal proceſs by any officer) fifty cents; any certificate of a ſhare in the Bank of the United States, or of any ſtate, or other bank, above twenty dollars, and not exceeding one hundred dollars, ten cents; above one hundred dollars, twenty five cents; and for any certificate for every ſuch ſhare under twenty dollars, at the rate

of ten cents for one hundred dollars; and the same for any less sum of the amount of the shares expressed in such certificate; provided, that nothing in this act contained, shall extend to charge with a duty, any legacy left by any will or other testamentary instrument, or any share or part of a personal estate, to be divided by force of any statute of distributions, which shall be left to, or divided amongst the wife, children, or grand children of the person deceased intestate, or making such will or testmentary instrument, or any recognizance, bill, bond, or other obligation or contract, which shall be made to or with the United States, or any state, or for their use respectively.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That in respect to any stamp, on any of the notes of the banks, now established, or which hereafter may be established within the United States, it shall be lawful for the Secretary of the Treasury to agree to an annual composition for the amount of such stamp duty, with any of the said banks, for one per centum on the amount of the annual dividend made by such banks, to their stockholders respectively.

Sec. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That all deeds and writings whatsoever, for the payment of any sum of money, upon the contingency of the loss of any ship, or goods, laden or to be laden on board of any ship, or of damage thereto, shall be construed and adjudged to be policies of insurance, within this act, chargeable with the several rates of duty herein before mentioned.

Sec. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That when any vessel, or any goods or merchandise, laden or to be laden on board of any vessel, shall be insured, a policy duly stamped, shall be issued, or made out, within the space of three days at farthest; and the insurer or insurers neglecting to make out such policy or policies, within the time aforesaid, shall forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, for every such neglect or offence; and all promissory notes, or other security made for assurance or insurances of ships, goods or merchandises at sea, or going to sea, in lieu of a policy, are hereby declared void.

Sec. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That every deed, instrument, note, memorandum, letters or other writing between the captain or master, or owner of any ship or vessel, and any merchant, trader or other person, in respect to the hire or freight of such ship or vessel for conveyance of any money, goods, wares, merchandise or effects, laden or to be laden on board of such ship or vessel, shall be deemed and adjudged to be a charter party.

Sec. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That every receipt for every sum of money, paid in whole or in part, of any legacy or share of personal estate, distributed as aforesaid, in the cases in which a duty is hereby charged, shall express therein the true sum which shall have been so paid; in default of which, as well the person or persons by whom the same shall have been paid, as the person or persons by whom the same shall have been received, shall severally forfeit and pay the sum of twenty dollars: And every receipt in full, shall be deemed, for the purpose of charging the duties hereby laid, to be for the entire sum of such legacy or share of personal estate, unless it shall be made to appear that all such part thereof, as may not be expressed in such receipt in full, was, previous thereto, paid, and upon a receipt or receipts, duly marked or stamped, according to the directions of this act.

Sec. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That every counsellor, solicitor, attorney, proctor, or advocate, who hath been, or shall be admitted, enrolled or registered, in any court of the United States, before he shall at any time after the said thirty first day of December next, prosecute, carry on or defend any action, suit or proceeding in any Court of the United States, shall take out a certificate of such admission, enrolment or registry, from the Clerk or Prothonotary of the Court granting such admission; which certificate shall be written on a piece of vellum, parchment, or paper, stamped according to the directions of this act, and such Clerk or Prothonotary, shall make entry of such admission, enrolment or registry, in a book to be kept by him for that purpose, to which any person may at reasonable times have access without fee or reward: For which certificate and entry there shall be paid to such Clerk or Prothonotary, by the supervisor of the revenue for the district wherein such Court shall be held, the sum of twenty five cents.

Sec. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That the receiving a certificate as aforesaid in any one of the Courts of the United States, for any one of the said offices, shall be a sufficient admission in all the Courts of the same, for that or any other of the said offices, so far as relates to the payment of the duties imposed by this act; any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Sect. 9. *And be it further enacted*, That the several duties aforesaid, shall be levied, collected, received, and accounted for, by and under the immediate direction and management of the supervisors and inspectors of the revenue, and other officers of inspection, subject to the superintendence, control and direction of the Treasury department, according to the respective authorities and duties of the offices thereof.

Sect. 10. *And be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury, to cause to be provided so many marks and stamps, differing from each other, as shall correspond with the several rates of duty aforesaid; that is to say, one mark or stamp for each distinct rate of duty; with which marks and stamps respectively shall be marked or stamped all vellum, parchment or paper, upon which shall be written, or printed, all or any of the several instruments, writings, matters and things herein before enumerated and charged, according to the nature and description of each of the said instruments, writings, matters and things as are herein before specified and described: Which said several marks and stamps shall be notified by a public notification, or advertisement, to be issued by the Secretary of the Treasury, and inserted in at least one

newſpaper printed in each ſtate, and in the Territory North West of the Ohio, and for not leſs than three months before the ſaid thirty firſt day of December next, to the end that all perſons may have due notice thereof: And which ſaid marks and ſtamps, or any of them, ſhall or may be altered or renewed from time to time, as the ſaid Secretary of the Treaſury ſhall think fit, ſo as like public notification thereof be made, for a term not leſs than three months, before ſuch new ſtamps or marks ſhall begin to be uſed.

Sect. 11. *And be it further enacted*, That the ſupervifors of the revenue are hereby empowerd and required, forthwith upon demand to them or any of them, made by any perſon or perſons, to ſtamp or mark any quantities or parcels of vellum, parchment or paper (he or they paying to the ſupervifors of the revenue reſpectively the reſpective duties hereby directed to be paid for the ſame) to ſtamp and mark the ſame accordingly, without any other fee or reward; which ſtamp or mark ſhall be a ſufficient diſcharge for the ſeveral and reſpective duties hereby granted upon the ſaid vellum, parchment or paper, which ſhall be ſo ſtamped or marked.

Sect. 12. *And be it further enacted*, That if any ſupervifor of the revenue ſhall fix any ſuch mark or ſtamp to any vellum, parchment or paper, upon ſuch requeſt or demand as aforeſaid, before the ſeveral and reſpective duties thereupon charged by this act, ſhall be duly anſwered and paid, or ſecured to be paid, he ſhall for every ſuch offence, forfeit his office, together with the ſum of five hundred dollars.

Sec. 13. *And be it further enacted*, That if any perſon or perſons, ſhall write or print, or cauſe to be written or printed upon any unſtamped vellum, parchment or paper, (with intent fraudulently to evade the duties impoſed by this act) any of the matters or things for which the ſaid vellum, parchment or paper is hereby charged to pay any duty, or ſhall write or print, or cauſe to be written or printed any matter or thing, upon any vellum, parchment or paper, that ſhall be marked or ſtamped for any lower duty than the duty by this act payable, ſuch perſons ſo offending, ſhall for every ſuch offence, forfeit the ſum of one hundred dollars; and in caſe any clerk, officer, or perſon, who in reſpect of any public office or employment, is or ſhall be authoriſed or inſtructed to make, write or print, any deeds, inſtruments or writings, by this act charged to pay a duty, as aforeſaid, ſhall be guilty of any fraud or practice to defraud or deprive the United States of any duty by this act payable, by making, writing or printing any ſuch deed, inſtrument or writing, or cauſing the ſame to be made, written or printed upon vellum, parchment or paper, not marked or ſtamped according to this act (or upon vellum, parchment or paper, marked or ſtamped with any mark or ſtamp which he ſhall know to be counterfeited) or by writing or printing any ſuch deed, inſtrument or other writing upon vellum, parchment or paper, that ſhall be marked or ſtamped for a lower duty, as aforeſaid, every ſuch clerk, officer, or perſon ſo guilty, and being thereof lawfully convicted, ſhall, inſtead of the penalty aforeſaid, forfeit and pay the ſum of five hundred dollars; and if any officer of the United States, ſhall, in addition thereto, forfeit his office and be diſabled to hold or enjoy the ſame for the future; and if any deed, inſtrument or writing whatſoever, by this act charged with the payment of a duty, as aforeſaid, ſhall, contrary to the true intent and meaning thereof, be written or printed, by any perſon or perſons whomſoever, upon vellum, parchment or paper, not marked or ſtamped, according to this act, or upon vellum, parchment or paper, marked or ſtamped, for a lower duty than ought to be paid upon the ſame, then, and in every ſuch caſe, there ſhall be paid to the United States, for their uſe, over and above the duty herein before charged thereupon, for ſtamping every ſuch deed, inſtrument or writing, the ſum of ten dollars; and no ſuch deed, inſtrument or writing ſhall be pleaded or given in evidence in any court, or admitted in any court to be available in law or equity, until it ſhall be ſtamped as aforeſaid. And the ſupervifors reſpectively are hereby enjoined and required, upon payment or tender of the ſaid duty and ſum of ten dollars unto any of them, to mark or ſtamp the ſaid vellum, parchment or paper, with the mark or ſtamp that ſhall be proper for ſuch deed, inſtrument or writing, reſpectively; and if any perſon or perſons whatſoever, ſhall counterfeit or forge any ſtamp, or mark, to reſemble any ſtamp or mark which ſhall be provided or made in purſuance of this act, or ſhall counterfeit or reſemble the impreſſion of the ſame upon any vellum, parchment or paper, thereby to defraud the United States of any of the duties hereby granted, or ſhall utter, vend or ſell any vellum, parchment or paper, with ſuch counterfeit mark or impreſſion thereupon, knowing ſuch mark or impreſſion to be counterfeit; or ſhall privately or fraudulently uſe any ſtamp or mark, directed or allowed to be uſed by this act, in relation to the duties hereby laid, with intent to defraud the United States of any of the ſaid duties, then every ſuch perſon ſo offending, being thereof convicted in due form of law, ſhall be judged guilty of a miſdemeanor, and be ſubject to be fined in any ſum not exceeding one thouſand dollars, and to be impriſoned for any term not exceeding ſeven years.

Sec. 14. *And be it further enacted*, That from and after the thirty firſt day of December, no bank now eſtabliſhed, or which ſhall be hereafter eſtabliſhed, which ſhall not have compounded for the duty hereby required, ſhall iſſue any bank bill or promiſſory note, unleſs upon paper duly ſtamped; and whereon the reſpective duties ſhall have been paid; and if the officer of any ſuch bank, or any perſon or perſons employed therein, ſhall thereafter iſſue any bill or note, not duly ſtamped as aforeſaid, he or they ſhall forfeit and pay a fine equal to the value of the bill or note ſo iſſued.

Sec. 15. *And be it further enacted*, That every perſon, who ſhall be employed for the marking or ſtamping of vellum, parchment or paper, as aforeſaid, before his acting in

of ten cents for one hundred dollars; and the same for any less sum of the amount of the shares expressed in such certificate; provided, that nothing in this act contained, shall extend to charge with a duty, any legacy left by any will or other testamentary instrument, or any share or part of a personal estate, to be divided by force of any statute of distributions, which shall be left to, or divided amongst the wife, children, or grand children of the person deceased intestate, or making such will or testmentary instrument, or any recognizance, bill, bond, or other obligation or contract, which shall be made to or with the United States, or any state, or for their use respectively.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That in respect to any stamp, on any of the notes of the banks, now established, or which hereafter may be established within the United States, it shall be lawful for the Secretary of the Treasury to agree to an annual composition for the amount of such stamp duty, with any of the said banks, for one per centum on the amount of the annual dividend made by such banks, to their stockholders respectively.

Sec. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That all deeds and writings whatsoever, for the payment of any sum of money, upon the contingency of the loss of any ship, or goods, laden or to be laden on board of any ship, or of damage thereto, shall be construed and adjudged to be policies of insurance, within this act, chargeable with the several rates of duty herein before mentioned.

Sec. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That when any vessel, or any goods or merchandise, laden or to be laden on board of any vessel, shall be insured, a policy duly stamped, shall be issued, or made out, within the space of three days at furthest; and the insurer or insurers neglecting to make out such policy or policies, within the time aforesaid, shall forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, for every such neglect or offence; and all promissory notes, or other security made for assurance or insurances of ships, goods or merchandises at sea, or going to sea, in lieu of a policy, are hereby declared void.

Sec. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That every deed, instrument, note, memorandum, letters or other writing between the captain or master, or owner of any ship or vessel, and any merchant, trader or other person, in respect to the hire or freight of such ship or vessel for conveyance of any money, goods, wares, merchandise or effects, laden or to be laden on board of such ship or vessel, shall be deemed and adjudged to be a charter party.

Sec. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That every receipt for every sum of money, paid in whole or in part, of any legacy or share of personal estate, distributed as aforesaid, in the cases in which a duty is hereby charged, shall express therein the true sum which shall have been so paid; in default of which, as well the person or persons by whom the same shall have been paid, as the person or persons by whom the same shall have been received, shall severally forfeit and pay the sum of twenty dollars: And every receipt in full, shall be deemed, for the purpose of charging the duties hereby laid, to be for the entire sum of such legacy or share of personal estate, unless it shall be made to appear that all such part thereof, as may not be expressed in such receipt in full, was, previous thereto, paid, and upon a receipt or receipts, duly marked or stamped, according to the directions of this act.

Sec. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That every counsellor, solicitor, attorney, proctor, or advocate, who hath been, or shall be admitted, enrolled or registered, in any court of the United States, before he shall at any time after the said thirty first day of December next, prosecute, carry on or defend any action, suit or proceeding in any Court of the United States, shall take out a certificate of such admission, enrolment or registry, from the Clerk or Prothonotary of the Court granting such admission; which certificate shall be written on a piece of vellum, parchment, or paper, stamped according to the directions of this act, and such Clerk or Prothonotary, shall make entry of such admission, enrolment or registry, in a book to be kept by him for that purpose, to which any person may at reasonable times have access without fee or reward: For which certificate and entry there shall be paid to such Clerk or Prothonotary, by the supervisor of the revenue for the district wherein such Court shall be held, the sum of twenty five cents.

Sec. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That the receiving a certificate as aforesaid in any one of the Courts of the United States, for any one of the said offices, shall be a sufficient admission in all the Courts of the same, for that or any other of the said offices, so far as relates to the payment of the duties imposed by this act; any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Sect. 9. *And be it further enacted*, That the several duties aforesaid, shall be levied, collected, received, and accounted for, by and under the immediate direction and management of the supervisors and inspectors of the revenue, and other officers of inspection, subject to the superintendence, control and direction of the Treasury department, according to the respective authorities and duties of the offices thereof.

Sect. 10. *And be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury, to cause to be provided so many marks and stamps, differing from each other, as shall correspond with the several rates of duty aforesaid; that is to say, one mark or stamp for each distinct rate of duty; with which marks and stamps respectively shall be marked or stamped all vellum, parchment or paper, upon which shall be written, or printed, all or any of the several instruments, writings, matters and things herein before enumerated and charged, according to the nature and description of each of the said instruments, writings, matters and things as are herein before specified and described: Which said several marks and stamps shall be notified by a public notification, or advertisement, to be issued by the Secretary of the Treasury, and inserted in at least one

newſpaper printed in each ſtate, and in the Territory North Weſt of the Ohio, and for not leſs than three months before the ſaid thirty firſt day of December next, to the end that all perſons may have due notice thereof: And which ſaid marks and ſtamps, or any of them, ſhall or may be altered or renewed from time to time, as the ſaid Secretary of the Treaſury ſhall think fit, ſo as like public notification thereof be made, for a term not leſs than three months, before ſuch new ſtamps or marks ſhall begin to be uſed.

Sect. 11. *And be it further enacted*, That the ſupervifors of the revenue are hereby empowerd and required, forthwith upon demand to them or any of them, made by any perſon or perſons, to ſtamp or mark any quantities or parcels of vellum, parchment or paper (he or they paying to the ſupervifors of the revenue reſpectively the reſpective duties hereby directed to be paid for the ſame) to ſtamp and mark the ſame accordingly, without any other fee or reward; which ſtamp or mark ſhall be a ſufficient diſcharge for the ſeveral and reſpective duties hereby granted upon the ſaid vellum, parchment or paper, which ſhall be ſo ſtamped or marked.

Sect. 12. *And be it further enacted*, That if any ſupervifor of the revenue ſhall fix any ſuch mark or ſtamp to any vellum, parchment or paper, upon ſuch requeſt or demand as aforeſaid, before the ſeveral and reſpective duties thereupon charged by this act, ſhall be duly anſwered and paid, or ſecured to be paid, he ſhall for every ſuch offence, forfeit his office, together with the ſum of five hundred dollars.

Sec. 13. *And be it further enacted*, That if any perſon or perſons, ſhall write or print, or cauſe to be written or printed upon any unſtamped vellum, parchment or paper, (with intent fraudulently to evade the duties impoſed by this act) any of the matters or things for which the ſaid vellum, parchment or paper is hereby charged to pay any duty, or ſhall write or print, or cauſe to be written or printed any matter or thing, upon any vellum, parchment or paper, that ſhall be marked or ſtamped for any lower duty than the duty by this act payable, ſuch perſons ſo offending, ſhall for every ſuch offence, forfeit the ſum of one hundred dollars; and in caſe any clerk, officer, or perſon, who in reſpect of any public office or employment, is or ſhall be authoriſed or inſtructed to make, write or print, any deeds, inſtruments or writings, by this act charged to pay a duty, as aforeſaid, ſhall be guilty of any fraud or practice to defraud or deprive the United States of any duty by this act payable, by making, writing or printing any ſuch deed, inſtrument or writing, or cauſing the ſame to be made, written or printed upon vellum, parchment or paper, not marked or ſtamped according to this act (or upon vellum, parchment or paper, marked or ſtamped with any mark or ſtamp which he ſhall know to be counterfeited) or by writing or printing any ſuch deed, inſtrument or other writing upon vellum, parchment or paper, that ſhall be marked or ſtamped for a lower duty, as aforeſaid, every ſuch clerk, officer, or perſon ſo guilty, and being thereof lawfully convicted, ſhall, inſtead of the penalty aforeſaid, forfeit and pay the ſum of five hundred dollars; and if any officer of the United States, ſhall, in addition thereto, forfeit his office and be diſabled to hold or enjoy the ſame for the future; and if any deed, inſtrument or writing whatſoever, by this act charged with the payment of a duty, as aforeſaid, ſhall, contrary to the true intent and meaning thereof, be written or printed, by any perſon or perſons whomſoever, upon vellum, parchment or paper, not marked or ſtamped, according to this act, or upon vellum, parchment or paper, marked or ſtamped, for a lower duty than ought to be paid upon the ſame, then, and in every ſuch caſe, there ſhall be paid to the United States, for their uſe, over and above the duty herein before charged thereupon, for ſtamping every ſuch deed, inſtrument or writing, the ſum of ten dollars; and no ſuch deed, inſtrument or writing ſhall be pleaded or given in evidence in any court, or admitted in any court to be available in law or equity, until it ſhall be ſtamped as aforeſaid. And the ſupervifors reſpectively are hereby enjoined and required, upon payment or tender of the ſaid duty and ſum of ten dollars unto any of them, to mark or ſtamp the ſaid vellum, parchment or paper, with the mark or ſtamp that ſhall be proper for ſuch deed, inſtrument or writing, reſpectively; and if any perſon or perſons whatſoever, ſhall counterfeit or forge any ſtamp, or mark, to reſemble any ſtamp or mark which ſhall be provided or made in purſuance of this act, or ſhall counterfeit or reſemble the impreſſion of the ſame upon any vellum, parchment or paper, thereby to defraud the United States of any of the duties hereby granted, or ſhall utter, vend or ſell any vellum, parchment or paper, with ſuch counterfeit mark or impreſſion thereupon, knowing ſuch mark or impreſſion to be counterfeit; or ſhall privately or fraudulently uſe any ſtamp or mark, directed or allowed to be uſed by this act, in relation to the duties hereby laid, with intent to defraud the United States of any of the ſaid duties, then every ſuch perſon ſo offending, being thereof convicted in due form of law, ſhall be judged guilty of a miſdemeanor, and be ſubject to be fined in any ſum not exceeding one thouſand dollars, and to be impriſoned for any term not exceeding ſeven years.

Sec. 14. *And be it further enacted*, That from and after the thirty firſt day of December, no bank now eſtabliſhed, or which ſhall be hereafter eſtabliſhed, which ſhall not have compounded for the duty hereby required, ſhall iſſue any bank bill or promiſſory note, unleſs upon paper duly ſtamped; and whereon the reſpective duties ſhall have been paid; and if the officer of any ſuch bank, or any perſon or perſons employed therein, ſhall thereafter iſſue any bill or note, not duly ſtamped as aforeſaid, he or they ſhall forfeit and pay a fine equal to the value of the bill or note ſo iſſued.

Sec. 15. *And be it further enacted*, That every perſon, who ſhall be employed for the marking or ſtamping of vellum, parchment or paper, as aforeſaid, before his acting in

the marking or ſtamping of the ſaid vellum, parchment or paper, ſhall take the following oath or affirmation:

"I [inſert here the name of the perſon] do ſolemnly ſwear [or affirm as the caſe may be] that I will, according to the beſt of my knowledge and ſkill, faithfully, honeſtly and carefully execute the truſt repoſed in me, and will truly mark or ſtamp all vellum, parchment or paper, which I ſhall be required or directed to mark, or ſtamp, and will render a true and exact account thereof to the proper officer or officers, and will faithfully account for all monies which I ſhall receive therefor."

Sec. 16. *And be it further enacted*, That the ſaid ſupervifors of the revenue, officers and other perſons to be employed by them, ſhall, from time to time, for the better execution of their ſeveral duties and truſts, obſerve and execute ſuch directions as they reſpectively ſhall, from time to time, receive from the department of the treaſury; which department ſhall take care that the ſeveral parts of the United States ſhall from time to time be ſufficiently furniſhed with vellum, parchment and paper, ſtamped or marked as aforeſaid, ſo that the citizens thereof may have it in their election to buy the ſame of the officers or perſons to be employed in and about the execution of this act, at the uſual or moſt common rates above the ſaid duty, or to bring their own vellum, parchment or paper, to be marked or ſtamped as aforeſaid.

Sec. 17. *And be it further enacted*, That as often as any alteration or renewal ſhall be made of, or in the marks or ſtamps before in uſe, or any of them, it ſhall be lawful for all perſons who ſhall, at that time, have in their cuſtody or poſſeſſion, any vellum, parchment or paper, marked with any mark or ſtamp, which ſhall be ſo altered or renewed, and upon which any of the matters or things hereby charged, ſhall not have been written, or printed, at any time within the ſpace of ſixty days, after the intention of renewing or altering ſhall be notified as aforeſaid, to bring or ſend ſuch vellum, parchment or paper, unto ſome office of inſpection; and the officer of inſpection, to whom they ſhall be brought or ſent, is hereby required to deliver, or cauſe to be delivered, unto the ſeveral perſons who ſhall ſo bring and deliver any quantity of vellum, parchment or paper, the like quantity of vellum, parchment or paper, and as good in quality, ſtamped with ſuch new ſtamp or mark, without demanding or taking, directly or indirectly, for the ſame, any money or other conſideration whatſoever. And in caſe any perſon ſhall neglect or refuſe, within the time aforeſaid, to bring, or cauſe to be brought or delivered unto ſome officer of inſpection, any ſuch vellum, parchment or paper, the ſame is hereby declared to be of no other effect, or uſe, than if it had never been marked or ſtamped; and all matters and things which ſhall, after that time, be written or printed thereon, ſhall be of no other effect, than if they had been written or printed on vellum, parchment or paper not marked or ſtamped: And all perſons who ſhall write or print any of the matters or things hereby charged, on ſuch vellum, parchment or paper, after the ſaid time, ſhall forfeit and ſuffer as herein before is enacted for perſons writing or printing on vellum, parchment or paper not marked or ſtamped.

Sec. 18. *And be it further enacted*, That all and every the officer and officers who ſhall be concerned in the levying, collecting and receiving the duties ariſing by this act, ſhall keep a ſeparate and diſtinct account thereof, and ſhall pay or remit the ſame, as ſpeedily as may be, after it ſhall be received, according to the orders of the department of the treaſury.

Sec. 19. *And be it further enacted*, That it ſhall be lawful for the Preſident of the United States, to cauſe ſuch ſum and ſums of money to be expended and paid, from time to time, for ſalaries, compenſations, and other incidental charges, as ſhall be neceſſary in and for the receiving, collecting, levying or managing of the ſaid duties, ſo as that the whole amount thereof, ſhall not exceed five per centum of the groſs total product of the ſaid duties.

Sec. 20. *And be it further enacted*, That all fines, penalties and forfeitures, which ſhall be incurred by virtue of this act, ſhall be ſued for and recovered in the name of the United States, or of the Supervifor of the Revenue, within whoſe diſtrict, any ſuch fine, penalty or forfeiture ſhall have been incurred, by bill or information, in any circuit or diſtrict court of the United States, or in any court of either of the ſaid States; one half thereof to the uſe of the perſon who, if an officer of inſpection, ſhall firſt diſcover; if other than an officer of inſpection ſhall firſt inform of the cauſe whereby any ſuch fine, penalty or forfeiture ſhall have been incurred (except in the caſes in which a different diſpoſition thereof may have been herein before made) and the other half to the uſe of the United States.

Sec. 21. *And be it further enacted*, That this act ſhall continue and be in force for, and during the term of five years, and from thence to the end of the next ſeſſion of Congreſs, and no longer.

Approved, July 6, 1797.

JOHN ADAMS, Preſident of the United States.

FREEMENS' MEETINGS *in* CONNECTICUT.

ON the third Monday in September; and on the Monday next following the firſt Tueſday in April, throughout the State, at 9 o'clock in the morning.

Ist TABLE. Shewing the Value of any number of Cents from one to one hundred, in ſhillings, pence and farthings, in the Currency of Maſſachuſetts, Newhampſhire, Rhodeiſland, Connecticut, Vermont, Virginia and Kentucky, rendering the Value of the Federal Currency eaſy and intelligible.

Ct.	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*	*Cts.*	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*	*Cts.*	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*	*Cts.*	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*
1	0	0	3	26	1	6	3	51	3	0	3	76	4	6	3
2	0	1	2	27	1	7	2	52	3	1	2	77	4	7	2
3	0	2	1	28	1	8	1	53	3	2	1	78	4	8	1
4	0	3	0	29	1	9	0	54	3	3	0	79	4	9	0
5	0	3	2	30	1	9	2	55	3	3	2	80	4	9	3
6	0	4	1	31	1	10	1	56	3	4	1	81	4	10	2
7	0	5	0	32	1	11	0	57	3	5	0	82	4	11	0
8	0	5	3	33	1	11	3	58	3	5	3	83	4	11	3
9	0	6	2	34	2	0	2	59	3	6	2	84	5	0	2
10	0	7	1	35	2	1	1	60	3	7	1	85	5	1	1
11	0	8	0	36	2	2	0	61	3	8	0	86	5	2	0
12	0	8	3	37	2	2	3	62	3	8	3	87	5	2	3
13	0	9	1	38	2	3	1	63	3	9	1	88	5	3	1
14	0	10	0	39	2	4	0	64	3	10	0	89	5	4	0
15	0	10	3	40	2	4	3	65	3	10	3	90	5	4	3
16	0	11	2	41	2	5	2	66	3	11	2	91	5	5	2
17	1	0	1	42	2	6	1	67	4	0	1	92	5	6	1
18	1	1	0	43	2	7	0	68	4	1	0	93	5	7	0
19	1	1	3	44	2	7	3	69	4	1	3	94	5	7	3
20	1	2	2	45	2	8	2	70	4	2	2	95	5	8	2
21	1	3	0	46	2	9	0	71	4	3	0	96	5	9	0
22	1	3	3	47	2	9	3	72	4	3	3	97	5	9	3
23	1	4	2	48	2	10	2	73	4	4	2	98	5	10	2
24	1	5	1	49	2	11	1	74	4	5	1	99	5	11	1
25	1	6	0	50	3	0	0	75	4	6	0	100	6	0	0

IId TABLE. *The Value of the ſeveral Pieces of Silver Coin now in circulation in the United States, in Federal Currency.*

	Cents.	Mills.
One fourth of a Piſtareen or half Dime	5	0
Four pence halfpenny	6	2½
Half Piſtareen, or Dime	10	0
Nine pence piece, or ⅛ of a Dollar	12	5
Piſtareen or two Dimes	20	0
Quarter of a Dollar	25	0
Half a Dollar	50	0
Dollar	100	0
Half a Crown, French	55	0
Half a Crown, Engliſh	55	5
Crown, French	110	0
Crown, Engliſh	111	0

10 MILLS *are* 1 CENT.
10 CENTS — 1 DIME, or DISME.
10 DIMES — 1 DOLLAR.
10 DOLLARS — 1 EAGLE.

IIId TABLE. Of Simple Intereſt, at 6 per cent. per ann. for any ſum from one half Dollar to 20,000 Dollars, in Dollars, Dimes, Cents and Mills, calculated for one year.

Dol.	D.	D.	C.	Dol.	D.	D.	C.	Dol.	D.	D.	C.	Dol.	D.	D.	C.	Dolls.	D.	D.	C.	M.
½	0	0	3	24	1	4	4	48	2	8	8	72	4	3	2	96	5	7	6	0
1	0	0	6	25	1	5	0	49	2	9	4	73	4	3	8	97	5	8	2	0
2	0	1	2	26	1	5	6	50	3	0	0	74	4	4	4	98	5	8	8	0
3	0	1	8	27	1	6	2	51	3	0	6	75	4	5	0	99	5	9	4	0
4	0	2	4	28	1	6	8	52	3	1	2	76	4	5	6	100	6	0	0	0
5	0	3	0	29	1	7	4	53	3	1	8	77	4	6	2	200	12	0	0	0
6	0	3	6	30	1	8	0	54	3	2	4	78	4	6	8	300	18	0	0	0
7	0	4	2	31	1	8	6	55	3	3	0	79	4	7	4	400	24	0	0	0
8	0	4	8	32	1	9	2	56	3	3	6	80	4	8	0	500	30	0	0	0
9	0	5	4	33	1	9	8	57	3	4	2	81	4	8	6	600	36	0	0	0
10	0	6	0	34	2	0	4	58	3	4	8	82	4	9	2	700	42	0	0	0
11	0	6	6	35	2	1	0	59	3	5	4	83	4	9	8	800	48	0	0	0
12	0	7	2	36	2	1	6	60	3	6	0	84	5	0	4	900	54	0	0	0
13	0	7	8	37	2	2	2	61	3	6	6	85	5	1	0	1000	60	0	0	0
14	0	8	4	38	2	2	8	62	3	7	2	86	5	1	6	2000	120	0	0	0
15	0	9	0	39	2	3	4	63	3	7	8	87	5	2	2	3000	180	0	0	0
16	0	9	6	40	2	4	0	64	3	8	4	88	5	2	8	4000	240	0	0	0
17	1	0	2	41	2	4	6	65	3	9	0	89	5	3	4	5000	300	0	0	0
18	1	0	8	42	2	5	2	66	3	9	6	90	5	4	0	6000	360	0	0	0
19	1	1	4	43	2	5	8	67	4	0	2	91	5	4	6	7000	420	0	0	0
20	1	2	0	44	2	6	4	68	4	0	8	92	5	5	2	8000	480	0	0	0
21	1	2	6	45	2	7	0	69	4	1	4	93	5	5	8	9000	540	0	0	0
22	1	3	2	46	2	7	6	70	4	2	0	94	5	6	4	10000	600	0	0	0
23	1	3	8	47	2	8	2	71	4	2	6	95	5	7	0	20000	1200	0	0	0

N. B. To find the Intereſt for one month, take one twelfth part of the Intereſt for a year—for two months, take one ſixth—for three months, take one fourth—for four months, take one third—for five months one fourth and one ſixth—for ſix months one half—for ſeven months one third and one fourth—for eight months two thirds—for nine months three quarters—for ten months one half and one third.

CURE *for* DYSENTERY.

A CUSTOMER, every way diſintereſted, wiſhes through the means of your uſeful Almanack, to make known to the public, a remedy, which he is well authoriſed to ſay, has been found perfectly efficacious in curing the moſt inveterate fluxes of every kind, in the moſt deſperate caſes, after every other remedy propoſed, had been tried in vain; viz.

Dry large black bramble berries, when perfectly ripe (which in the ſummer ſeaſon, are to be had in plenty) over the fire in a frying pan, or in an oven on tin or iron ſheets, until they are dry enough to grind in a coffee mill; when ground, put two ounces of the powder into a quart of good port or claret wine, to which add two ounces of refined loaf ſugar and a gill of water, which when mixed together, boil over a ſlow fire for about three quarters of an hour, until it decreaſes to a gill; when cool, ſtrain it through a thin clean rag. A ſmall tea cup full of this mixture for an adult, taken in the morning and evening, will effect a cure. A proportionate quantity (according to their age) will anſwer for children. This liquid, when ſo prepared, will keep good, if put into a bottle well corked and waxed, or the powder of the berries will retain its virtue a long time, provided it be put into bottles and kept well corked until wanted.

IVth TABLE. *Of* INTEREST *at* 6 *per cent.*

N. B. The uſe of this Table, as by Example will appear, viz. againſt 5*l. you will find the Intereſt for a Week to be* 9*d. for a Month,* 3*s. for three Months,* 9*s. for ſix Months,* 18*s. for a year,* 1*l.* 16*s.*

	Week.			Month.			3 Months.			6 Months.			A Year.		
Shillings.	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*	*s.*	*d.*	*q.*
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	2
3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	0
4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	2	3
5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	3	0	3	2
6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	4	1
7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	5	0
8	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	2	3	0	5	2
9	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	6	1
10	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	0	3	2	0	7	0
Pounds.															
1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	2	0	7	0	1	2	0
2	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	7	0	1	2	0	2	4	0
3	0	0	3	0	3	2	0	10	3	1	9	2	3	7	0
4	0	1	0	0	4	3	1	2	1	2	4	2	4	9	0
5	0	1	2	0	6	0	1	6	0	3	0	0	6	0	0
6	0	1	3	0	7	0	1	9	2	3	7	0	7	2	0
7	0	2	0	0	8	1	2	1	0	4	2	0	8	4	0
8	0	2	1	0	9	2	2	4	3	4	9	2	9	7	0
9	0	2	2	0	10	3	2	8	1	5	4	2	10	9	0
10	0	3	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	6	0	0	12	0	0
Tens of Pounds.	*l.*	*s.*	*d*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
20	0	0	6	0	2	0	0	6	0	0	12	0	1	4	0
30	0	0	9	0	3	0	0	9	0	0	18	0	1	16	0
40	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	12	0	1	4	0	2	8	0
50	0	1	3	0	5	0	0	15	0	1	10	0	3	0	0
60	0	1	6	0	6	0	0	18	0	1	16	0	3	12	0
70	0	1	9	0	7	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	4	4	0
80	0	2	0	0	8	0	1	4	0	2	8	0	4	16	0
90	0	2	3	0	9	0	1	7	0	2	14	0	5	8	0
100	0	2	6	0	10	0	1	10	0	3	0	0	6	0	0
1000	1	5	0	5	0	0	15	0	0	30	0	0	60	0	0

WITCHCRAFT. A VIRGINIA ANECDOTE.

ABOUT the year 1727, when the back ſettlers of that country were as proverbial for their prejudices, as ever the firſt ſettlers of Plymouth were, an old woman, about 120 miles from Richmond, on James River, was ſo unfortunate as to have a ſow litter a pig with two tails. This circumſtance ſoon overran the ſettlement. A general alarm was ſpread; and the parſon of the pariſh was reſorted to by the affrighted people to account for this wonderful phenomenon: The ſage divine, after duly conſidering the affair, declared that, as all pigs by *nature* were endowed with one tail, it was probable that the *devil* was officious in the generation of this litter, and as *he* cannot make any thing perfect, that theſe two tails were left as a mark of his imperfection: The parſon further obſerved, that as other neighbours had ſows, on whom the evil ſpirit might have tried his operations, his partiality to this old woman was a proof that ſhe muſt have a connection with him, and that ſhe could be nothing leſs than a *witch*. The poor woman was immediately apprehended, and it was determined to tie her up in a

sack, and throw her into the river; if she floated she was a witch and must be *hung*; if she sunk, then she was *innocent*. A vast concourse of people assembled on the bank to see the operation, and while the church wardens were absolutely engaged in drawing the bag over her, a Col. Taylor, who was lately come from Ireland, hit on the following stratagem to save her.

"By my soul," said he to the wardens, "ye are all wrong; you know nothing of witches; now in Ireland, we have found out a much surer way, without half the trouble." The people were anxious to hear the Irish method; "Why (says the Col.) my jewels, we put the woman in one scale, and the big church bible in the other; if the bible outweighs the woman she is a witch, and must be burned; but if the woman is the heaviest she is no witch, by my soul." The Colonel's method was approved of, the trial made, and thus was the life of a woman preserved, who but for Colonel Taylor's stratagem, must have fallen a sacrifice to the ignorance and prejudices of an illiterate people.

VIth TABLE, In which the different CURRENCIES, throughout the United States, from *one Farthing* to a *thousand Pounds*, are reduced to an equivalent Value in *Dollars*, *Cents* and *Mills*.

☞ Note, 10 Mills make one Cent, 100 Cents one Dollar.

	N. Hamp. Mass. R. I. Connec. Virg. Kentucky.	Newyork and North Carolina.	Pensylvania, Delaware and Maryland.	Southern States and Georgia.	New Hamp. &c. &c.	Newyork, &c.	New Jersey, &c. &c.	Southcarolina, &c.
	Del. Ct. M.	Del. Ct. M.	Del. Ct. M.	Del. Ct. M.	Dolls. Cts.	Dolls. Cts.	Dolls. Cts.	Dolls. Ct. M.
Pounds								
1	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 4	3,33⅓	2,50	2,66⅔	4,28,6
2	0 7 0	0 5 0	0 6 0	0 9	6,66⅔	5,00	5,33⅓	8,57,1
3	1 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	1 4	10,00	7,50	8,00	12,85,7
4	1 4 0	1 0 0	1 1 0	1 8	13,33⅓	10,00	10,66⅔	17,14,3
5	1 8 0	1 3 0	1 4 0	2 2	16,66⅔	12,50	13,33⅓	21,42,9
6	2 0 0	1 5 0	1 6 0	2 7	20,00	15,00	16,00	25,71,4
7	2 4 0	1 8 0	1 9 0	3 0	23,33⅓	17,50	18,66⅔	30,00,0
8	2 8 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 5	26,66⅔	20,00	21,33⅓	34,28,6
9	3 0 0	2 3 0	2 3 0	3 9	30,00	22,50	24,00	38,57,1
10	3 4 0	2 5 0	2 6 0	4 3	33,33⅓	25,00	26,66⅔	42,85,7
11	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 9 0	4 7	36,66⅔	27,50	29,33⅓	47,14,3
12	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	5 1	40,00	30,00	32,00	51,42,9
13	4 3 3	3 2 6	3 4 6	5 5	43,33⅓	32,50	34,66⅔	55,71,4
14	4 6 6	3 5 0	3 7 0	5 9	46,66⅔	35,00	37,33⅓	60,00,0
15	5 0 0	3 7 6	3 10 0	6 4	50,00	37,50	40,00	64,28,6
16	5 3 3	4 0 0	4 0 0	6 8	53,33⅓	40,00	42,66⅔	68,57,1
17	5 6 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	7 2	56,66⅔	42,50	45,33⅓	72,85,7
18	6 0 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	7 6	60,00	45,00	48,00	77,14,3
19	6 3 3	4 7 6	4 9 0	8 0	63,33⅓	47,50	50,66⅔	81,42,9
20	6 6 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	8 5	66,66⅔	50,00	53,33⅓	85,71,4
30	10 0 0	7 5 0	7 6 0	12 8	100,00	75,00	80,00	128,57,1
40	13 3 3	10 0 0	10 0 0	17 1	133,33⅓	100,00	106,66⅔	171,42,9
50	16 6 6	12 5 0	12 6 0	21 4	166,66⅔	125,00	133,33⅓	214,28,6
100	33 3 3	25 0 0	25 0 0	42 8	333,33⅓	250,00	266,66⅔	428,57,1
200	66 6 6	50 0 0	50 0 0	85 7	666,66⅔	500,00	533,33⅓	857,14,3
500	166 6 6	125 0 0	125 0 0	214 3	1666,66⅔	1250,00	1333,33⅓	2142,85,7
1000	333 3 3	250 0 0	250 0 0	428 6	3333,33⅓	2500,00	2666,66⅔	4285,71,4

Shillings — pence — farthings

The New FRENCH CALENDAR *for the preſent Year, which began September 22, 1797.*

Names of Months, French.	*Engliſh.*		*Term.* (Inclusive.)
	AUTUMN.		
Vindemaire,	Vintage Month,	from	Sept. 22 to Oct. 21.
Brumaire,	Fog month,	——	Oct. 22 to Nov. 20.
Frumaire,	Sleet Month,	——	Nov. 21 to Dec. 20.
	WINTER.		
Nivoſe,	Snow Month,	——	Dec. 21 to Jan. 19.
Pluvioſe,	Rain Month,	——	Jan. 20 to Feb. 18.
Ventoſe,	Wind Month,	——	Feb. 19 to March 20.
	SPRING.		
Germinal,	Sprouts Month,	——	Mar. 21 to April 19.
Floreal,	Flowers Month,	——	April 20 to May 19.
Prairéal,	Paſture Month,	——	May 20 to June 18.
	SUMMER.		
Meſſidor,	Harveſt Month,	——	June 19 to July 18.
Fervidor,	Hot Month,	——	July 19 to Aug. 17.
Fructidor,	Fruit Month,	——	Aug. 18 to Sept. 16.

Sans Culottides, or Feaſts dedicated to

Les Vertus,	The Virtues,	Sept. 17.
Le Genie,	Genius,	Sept. 18.
Le Travail,	Labour,	Sept. 19.
L'Opinion,	Opinion,	Sept. 20.
Les Recompenſes,	Rewards,	Sept. 21.

The intercalary day of every fourth year is to be called *La Sans Culottide*; on which there is to be a National Renovation of their oath, "To live free or die." The month is divided into three decades, the days of which are called, from the Latin Numerals,

1. *Primidi.* 2. *Duodi.* 3. *Tridi.* 4. *Quartidi.*
5. *Quintidi.* 6. *Sextidi.* 7. *Septidi.* 8. *Octodi.*
9. *Nonodi.* 10. *Decadi*, which is to be the day of reſt.

RATE OF POSTAGE OF A SINGLE LETTER.

FOR 30 miles, 6 cents. For 60 miles, 8 cents. For 100 miles, 10 cents. For 150 miles, 12½ cents. For 200 miles, 15 cents. For 250 miles, 17 cents. For 350 miles, 20 cents. For 450 miles, 22 cents. For more than 450 miles, 25 cents. Every double letter is to pay double the ſaid rates; every triple letter, triple; every packet weighing one ounce, at the rate of four ſingle letters for each ounce. Every encloſure the ſame as a letter.

FRIENDS' YEARLY AND QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

THE yearly Meeting for Newengland, is holden at Newport, in Rhodeiſland, on the 5th day before the 2d 6th day in the 6th month; conſiſting of four Quarterly Meetings, by the names of Rhodeiſland, Sandwich, Salem and Falmouth. Salem Quarterly Meeting is holden on the 5th day before the 2d 6th day in the 9th month at Berwick, the 5th day before the 2d 6th day in the 12th month at Dover, the 5th day before the 2d 6th day in the 3d month at Seabrook, and the 5th day before the 1ſt 6th day in the 6th month at Salem. Falmouth Quarter is holden on the 5th day before the 1ſt 6th day in the 9th month at Vaſſalborough, 12th month at Durham, 3d month at Windham, and 5th day before the laſt 6th day in the 5th month at Falmouth.

A RECEIPT *for Killing* RATS.

IN 1783, a premium of five guineas was given by the Dublin Society for the following receipt to kill Rats. Take one quart of oat meal, or other meal, four drops of oil of rhodium, one grain of muſk, two nuts of nux vomica, powdered. Mix the whole together, and place it where the rats frequent; continue to do ſo, while they eat it, and it will ſoon deſtroy them, be they ever ſo numerous.

Soon in the laſcious feaſt themſelves they loſt,
And drank oblivion of their native coaſt;
Inſtant her circling wand the Goddeſs waves,
To hogs transforms them, and the ſty receives.

IN proportion as luxury increaſed, the life of man was abbreviated: The ſeven kings of Rome reigned longer than the firſt twenty Emperors.—*Cowley.*

It is ſaid of Diogenes, that meeting a young man who was going to a feaſt, he took him up in the ſtreet, as one who was running into imminent danger, had he not prevented him.—*Addiſon.*

The celebrated Scythian Philoſopher being aſked how it was poſſible a perſon might contract a diſlike to wine, anſwered, By beholding the indecencies of the drunken.—*Anacharſis.*

Temperance is the ſource of great peace and tranquillity to men, for it brings their deſires and averſions under the laws of reaſon.—*Cicero.*

Of all parts of a feaſt, that which a man leaves does him the moſt good.—*Cornaro.*

However common it may be for men that ſuffer to complain of the evils of life as the unavoidable lot of humanity, they are the ſole authors of their miſeries; moſt of them, however, I affirm, they acquire. All cronic diſeaſes, moſt undoubtedly, men create by their own indulgencies; nor do I allow of hereditary gout.—*Cadogan*, M. D.

Give me but bread and water, and I will diſpute the point of felicity with Jupiter himſelf.—*Epicurus.*

If a man eat little and drink little, he brings no deadly diſorder upon himſelf.—*Hippocrates.*

Intemperance, may properly be termed the executioner of mankind.—*Hoffman.*

To eat to ſatiety twice in one day, and never to ſleep alone—This is a way of life in which no perſon will ever become wiſe.—*Plato.*

The black catalogue of diſeaſes which ravage human life is the offſpring of luxury and falſe refinements of civil ſociety. Intemperance and debauchery lay the foundations of numberleſs ſufferings, and terminate in premature and miſerable deaths.—*Price*, M. D.

Drunkenneſs is the ſtudy of madneſs. Chooſe the beſt kind of life, and cuſtom will ſoon render it permanently agreeable.—*Pythagoras.*

Inebriety is neither more nor leſs than a voluntary inſanity.—*Seneca.*

Nature's real wants are few, but the cravings of fancy are infinite.—*Socrates.*

O Temperance! thou virtue without pride and fortune, without envy, thou beſt guardian of youth and ſupport of old age, the precept of reaſon as well as of religion, and phyſician of the ſoul as well as the body.—*Temple, Sir William.*

A wiſe man will drink wine, but will not ſuffer himſelf to be intoxicated by it.—*Zeno.*

This celebrated philoſopher was highly pleaſed with the morality of the Cynics, but diſguſted with their immodeſty and impudence. He therefore inſtituted a new ſect, which, from his teaching in a porch or portico, were ſtyled Stoics; his reputation ſoon ſpread all over Greece, and he became, in a ſhort time, the moſt diſtinguiſhed philoſopher in that country. Zeno lived to the age of ninety eight, without ever being attacked by any diſeaſes. He taught philoſophy forty eight years, excited the youth under his care to virtue, and always led a life conformable to the precepts he inculcated and taught. He died in the hundred and twenty ninth Olympiad, and was regretted by all who were friends to virtue and learning.

The PLANETARY *and* TERRESTRIAL WORLDS *comparatively conſidered.*

TO us, who dwell on its ſurface, the Earth is by far the moſt extenſive orb that our eyes can any where behold: It is alſo clothed with verdure, diſtinguiſhed by trees, and adorned with variety of beautiful decorations; whereas, to a ſpectator placed on one of the Planets, it wears an uniform aſpect, looks all luminous, and no larger than a ſpot. To beings who ſtill dwell at greater diſtances, it entirely diſappears. That which we call alternately the Morning and the Evening Star; as in one part of the Orbit ſhe rides foremoſt in the proceſſion of night, in the other uſhers in and anticipates the dawn, is a Planetary World, which with the four others, that ſo wonderfully vary their myſtic dance, are in themſelves dark bodies, and ſhine only by reflection, have fields, and ſeas, and ſkies of their own, are furniſhed with all accommodations for animal ſubſiſtence, and are ſuppoſed to be the abodes of intellectual life; all which, together with our earthly habitations, are dependent on that grand diſpenſer of divine munificence, the Sun, receive their light from the diſtribution of his rays, and derive their comfort from his benign agency.

The Sun, which ſeems to perform its daily ſtages through the ſky, is in this reſpect fixed and immoveable, it is the great axle of heaven, about which the Globe we inhabit, and other more ſpacious Orbs, wheel their ſtated courſes. The Sun, though ſeemingly ſmaller than the dial it illuminates, is abundantly larger than this whole Earth, on which ſo many lofty mountains riſe, and ſuch vaſt oceans roll. A line extending from ſide to ſide, through the center of that reſplendent Orb, would meaſure more than eight hundred thouſand miles: A girdle formed to go round its circumference, would require a length of millions. Were its ſolid contents to be eſtimated, the account would overwhelm our underſtanding, and be almoſt beyond the power of language to expreſs. Are we ſtartled at theſe reports of Philoſophy? Are we ready to cry out, in a tranſport of ſurpriſe, "How mighty is the Being who kindled ſuch a prodigious fire, and keeps alive from age to age, ſuch an enormous maſs of flame!" Let us attend our philoſophic guides, and we ſhall be brought acquainted with ſpeculations more enlarged and more inflaming.

This Sun, with all its attendant Planets, is but a very little part of the grand machine of the Univerſe; every ſtar, though in appearance no bigger than the diamond that glitters upon a Lady's ring, is really a vaſt Globe, like the Sun in ſize and glory, no leſs ſpacious, no leſs luminous, than the radiant ſource of the day: So that every ſtar is not barely a World, but the center of a magnificent ſyſtem, has a retinue of Worlds irradiated by its beams, and revolving round its attractive influence, all which are loſt to our ſight in unmeaſurable wilds of ether.

That the Stars appear like ſo many diminutive and ſcarce diſtinguiſhable points, is owing to their immenſe and inconceivable diſtance. Immenſe and inconceivable, indeed it is, ſince a ball, ſhot from the loaded cannon, and flying with unabated rapidity, muſt travel at this impetuous rate, almoſt ſeven hundred thouſand years, before it could reach the neareſt of theſe twinkling luminaries.

While, beholding this vaſt expanſe, I learn my own extreme meanneſs, I would alſo diſcover the abject littleneſs of all terreſtrial things. What is the Earth, with all her oſtentatious ſcenes, compared with this aſtoniſhing grand furniture of the ſkies? What, but a dim ſpeck, hardly perceivable in the map of the Univerſe? It is obſerved by a very judicious writer, that if the Sun himſelf, which enlightens this part of creation, was extinguiſhed, and all the hoſts of planetary worlds, which

move about him, were annihilated, they would not be miſſed by an eye that can take in the whole compaſs of Nature, any more than a grain of ſand upon the ſea ſhore. The bulk of which they conſiſt, and the ſpace which they occupy, is ſo exceedingly little, in compariſon of the whole, that their loſs would leave ſcarce a blank in the immenſity of God's works. If, then, not our Globe only, but this whole Syſtem, be ſo very diminutive, what is a kingdom, or a country? What are a few Lordſhips, or the ſo much admired patrimonies of thoſe who are ſtyled wealthy? When I meaſure them with my own little pittance, they ſwell into proud and bloated dimenſions; but, when I take the univerſe for my ſtandard, how ſcanty is their ſize, how contemptible their figure! They ſhrink into pompous nothings.

Conciſe CALENDAR for young FARMERS and GARDENERS.

Publiſhed ORIGINALLY *in this Almanack, ſome years ſince.*

JANUARY.

BUT little can be done this month in the fields and gardens; but remember that at the cloſe of it, the ſnow may chance to melt away, therefore improve ſledding to get your ſupply of wood for the ſummer. Viſit your corn barns and granaries; ſee that rats, mice, &c. do not deſtroy your grain, &c. Cut timber, if you wiſh it to laſt long, in the laſt quarter of the moon in this month. It is well to cut wood for burning in the firſt quarter of the moon. Look well to your cattle and keep them clean. When it rains, or your houſes are covered with ſnow, look to your chimnies, and burn them clean; otherwiſe ſweep them well in dry weather, which is much the beſt.

FEBRUARY.]—THIS month be ſure to prune your fruit and other trees. If the ſnow is off the ground, and there ſhould be a ſpell of moderate weather, the ground which you prepared for peas in October you may now ſow. Now get your tools in order for ſpring work while you have leiſure. Remember it is a ſhort month, and your time muſt be improved accordingly. As this is the laſt winter month, at the end of it, what is properly your winter work, ſhould be completed. Look over your ſeeds of various kinds, and ſee that none of them are ſuffering through want of care. Cellery, Spinage, Aſparagus, Parſley, &c. may be ſown in hot beds. This is alſo a good month for cutting timber; if you neglected it laſt month, be ſure and do it this. When you have done with ſleds, ſleighs, &c. for this ſeaſon, put them carefully by, with their tackling, for another.

MARCH.]—AS ſoon as the ſnow is off the ground, repair your ſtone walls, and mend your other fences. Such work is generally neglected too long to the great detriment of the farmer. If you neglected your nurſeries of fruit trees laſt month, be ſure to viſit them early this. The ſeaſons are ſo uncertain in this country, as to their approach, that it is needleſs to ſay when the particular week ſhould be to begin particular farming buſineſs—It is beſt to watch the weather, and be prepared to begin your work when it will permit. Should the ſeaſon be favorable at the end of this month, you may graft and inoculate trees—and ſet them out for an orchard; but it commonly does as well, if you have neglected ſetting out trees in the fall, to omit it until the beginning of April.

APRIL.]—NOW begin in good earneſt to engage in your ſpring work. Be it your firſt care to get your ſeed for ſpring grain in the ground. Sow flax ſeed as early as poſſible. If the ſeaſon permits, get all your dung on the ground and your firſt ploughing completed—plant potatoes for early uſe about the middle of the month. You may now graft and inoculate fruit trees, and ſet out orchards. Be ſure to be buſy in your garden. Look to your ſhrubbery, and roots of all kinds. Turn

the ground well up that it may be light and fit for the reception of ſeeds of various kinds. Sow Lettuce, &c. uncover your aſparagus beds, if neglected laſt month, and with a ſmall hoe, or dung fork, looſen the earth round the roots, tranſplant them, &c.

MAY.]—THIS is a very buſy month for Farmers and Gardeners. Plant corn, potatoes, beans, &c. Continue to ſow peas—Lettuce and ſallading may now be planted for ſummer uſe. Plant roſemary, lavender, thyme, &c. Seeds of all kinds may now be put in the ground. Obſerve the beſt dung for gardens is untried earth, that is, rich and mellow ground, ~~taken~~ about half a foot below the ſurface of rich new earth: This is the moſt beneficial manure to all plants. If you uſe horſe or cow's dung for your gardens, be ſure to take that which is moſt rotted. New grafted trees ought conſtantly to be looked after. Hoe your firſt crop of turnips and ſow a ſecond.

JUNE.]—WEED your Indian corn; carrots ſhould be weeded before the weeds overrun them, and thinned by hoeing. Hoe beds of beets, carrots, leeks, onions, parſley, parſnips, &c Melons and cucumbers, attacked by black flies or ſpiders muſt be ſumigated, with tobacco ſmoke. Continue to plant beans. Be careful to deſtroy all kinds of weeds before they run to ſeed. Plant cucumbers at the latter end of this month for pickling. Water often in dry weather, beds of ſeedlings. Continue to ſow radiſh ſeeds, peas, &c. Cabbages ſhould be often hoed and earthed, nothing will make them flouriſh better; ſeek and deſtroy worms. Slips, or cuttings of ſage, roſemary, rue, lavender, ſouthernwood, hyſſop, thyme, &c. will now take tolerably well.

JULY.]—YOU may now ſow peas for the fall; alſo turnips. Hill your Indian corn—Now for Hay—Attend to your graſs; begin by mowing that which is ripeſt and thinneſt. Look after your bees, which in hot weather will ſwarm. Turn bulls to ſtore heifers. Get your ſickles in order for reaping early rye, which will be fit for cutting the latter end of the month. Lay up ſuch herbs for drying as are now in blow. Deſtroy weeds in all parts of the garden, and look well to, and water all plants which have been tranſplanted. Gather ſeeds of all ſorts as they ripen. Hoe turnips ſown laſt month.

AUGUST.]—REAP and mow all kinds of corn as it becomes ripe. Pull and ſtack ſeed flax, if ripe. Continue to gather ſeeds of various ſorts as they ripen when the weather is dry. Gather herbs for diſtilling and drying. Hoe turnips, water ſeedling beds in the morning, if needed. Budding or inoculating generally ſucceeds beſt when it is performed in cloudy weather, or late in the afternoon. Such trees as were grafted in the ſpring and miſcarried, may now be budded with any of the ſame ſorts of fruit. If any of your fruit trees are blighted apply ſome hogs' dung immediately, digging it in with a fork.

SEPTEMBER.]—LOOK to your Indian corn, cut ſtalks, and take care to dry them well, for they are excellent fodder. Get your cider preſſes in order. Cucumbers for pickling ſhould be finiſhed gathering. Gather early apples. Cut down the haum of aſparagus, clean the beds, and dung them where you think neceſſary. Sow wheat and rye. Put your hogs up to fatten. Look to your bees and deſtroy drones. Plough and prepare land for ſowing peas, turnips, &c. early in February, or as ſoon as the ſeaſon will permit in the ſpring. Dig potatoes in dry weather and houſe them Begin to ſecure roots, &c. from approaching hard froſt, by covering them well over with ſtraw and dung. Get your barns in order to put up your cattle before cold weather comes on. Take care of your flax that is rotting, that it is not overtaken by ſevere froſts and kept on the ground all winter.

OCTOBER.]—NO time in this month muſt be loſt. Gather in your Indian corn. Prune and plant foreſt trees—clean out water courſes. Continue gathering in potatoes. Now you may make cider in earneſt. Be ſure to have your Indian corn huſked as ſoon as poſſible after it is gathered in heaps; If any of it is not ſufficiently ripened, ſpread it to dry. If you neglected your aſparagus beds laſt month, be ſure to ſecure them this. Stop the growth of all kinds of weeds in your garden. You may now dung vacant land in your gardens, and dig and throw it in ridges. Thraſh out ſeeds that are well dried and put them into bags. You may prune and tranſplant fruit trees.

NOVEMBER.]—PUT up your cattle in the barn. Bleed your horſes. Move your bees under ſhelter if neglected laſt month. Continue to plant fruit and timber trees. It is time you had finiſhed huſking your Indian corn. Roots of beets, parſley, carrots, potatoes, parſnips, turnips, &c. take up in a dry day, early in this month, to preſerve for the uſe of winter; cut off the tops cloſe, clean them from dirt, and depoſit them in dry ſand with the crowns of the roots downwards, over which you may throw ſome dry covering. Gather winter turnips early in the month if neglected before. Dig holes four feet deep and ſet therein cabbages with the roots to the earth, cover the hole over with boards and ſtraw, which done, heap it well with earth; take them out in the ſpring and they will be excellent. Secure your cellars from froſt.

DECEMBER.]—AS very little can be done this month either in fields or gardens, viſit your barns often. Thraſh out your grain if neglected laſt month. Break and dreſs your flax. Repair, grind, and put your tools in order while you have leiſure. Kill your hogs and fat cattle. Take care of young foals; look after your bees and feed them if they need it. Feed your pigeons; ſpread aſhes among their dung, &c. Prepare a few uſeful books to inſtruct and amuſe you, during long evenings. If thou haſt been frugal and induſtrious through the year, it will afford you pleaſing reflections; and the fruit of your labour will enable you to enjoy more happineſs than otherwiſe in your ſocial hours on winter evenings.——*Farewel.*

ANECDOTES.

Between an Engliſhman and an American.

DURING the late war, an elderly Gentleman from N. York, who was at bottom a ſtaunch Loyaliſt, but ſo fond of argument, that he would occaſionally take up the ſubject of the war and argue either pro or con; being once at a coffee houſe in London, when that topic was in agitation, and then defending the cauſe of the Americans, one of the company, more ſanguine than the reſt, roundly aſſerted, there could be no doubt of conquering the Americans, notwithſtanding the ſuperiority of their numbers; for that one Engliſhman could drive an hundred of them. Pray do you think, Sir, ſaid the Yankee, you could atchieve ſo noble an exploit? Perhaps not, replied the hero, upon ſo great a number. Could you drive fifty? No. Could you drive twenty? No. Could you drive one? O yes, I could do that at any time. Then, Sir, replied the old Gentleman, as you are an Engliſhman and I am an American, if you pleaſe, drive me. The political braggadocio drew in his horns, and ſneaked off.

Of a Scotch Lady.

A LADY, celebrated in Scotland, for her wit and beauty, happening to be at an aſſembly in Edinburgh, a young gentleman, the ſon of his Majeſty's Printer, who had the patent for publiſhing Bibles, made his appearance, dreſſed in green and gold. Being a new face, and extremely elegant, he attracted the attention of the whole company. A general murmur prevailed in the room, to learn who he was; the lady inſtantly made anſwer, loud enough to be heard, "O! don't you know him? It is young Bible, *bound in calf, and gilt—but not lettered.*

Of a married Man and a Clergyman.

AN honeſt Clergyman, in the Country, was reproving a married couple for their frequent diſſenſions, which were very unbecoming, both in the eye of God and man, ſeeing that they were both one: "Both one!" cried the husband, "were you to come by our door ſometimes, you would ſwear we were twenty."

Of a Governour of Virginia,

A GOVERNOUR of Virginia, being ſaluted by a negro in the ſtreets of Williamsburg, and immediately returning the ſalute, "How," ſaid a gentleman, "do you demean yourſelf ſo far as to ſalute a ſlave?" "Undoubtedly," anſwered the Governor, "I ſhould be very ſorry if a ſlave were to ſurpaſs me in civility."

Of Dr. Johnſon.

AS the celebrated Dr. Johnſon was ſitting in a coffee room, where a dog was very troubleſome, he ordered the waiter to kick him out; the waiter not being ſo alert as he ſhould be, the Doctor repeated his orders; upon which a young genius ſaid to the Doctor, I perceive, Sir, you are not fond of dogs. No, ſaid the Doctor, nor of puppies neither.

POETRY.

HARVEST.

BROWN o'er the wide extended fields
The heavy harvest waves;
Its treasure to the reaper yields,
And forms the pond'rous sheaves.

The peasant plies his utmost skill
The mighty boon to gain,
And labors with a double will
To save the loaded grain.

The gleaners pick the straggling corn,
The hungry house to feed;
Ye farmers, spare them all they get,
Impell'd by utmost need.

So shall the infant, sav'd from want,
The forthring hand caress;
So shall the mother, while she smiles,
Your generous pity bless!

The loaded stack, and spacious barn,
Receive the grateful store;
The blessings of the coming year,
The riches of the poor!

Now, grateful for the bounty given,
Let constant thanks arise,
For every bliss that falls from Heaven,
Each hope beyond the skies.

In the following original and beautiful Fable, by Peter Pindar, *the Poet alludes to the arts of Men, who, by flattery, &c. are constantly laying snares for innocence.—The Bard, moreover, sheweth, that prudence may smile at the machinations of a great rogue.*

The YOUNG FLY, *and the* OLD SPIDER.

FRESH was the breath of morn---the busy breeze,
As Poets tell us, whisper'd through the trees,
And swept the dew clad blooms with wing so light;
Phœbus got up, and made a blazing fire,
That gilded every country house and spire,
And smiling, put on his best looks so bright.

On this fair morn, a Spider who had set,
To catch a breakfast, his old waving net,
With curious art upon a spangled thorn;
At length, with gravely squinting longing eye,
Near him espied a pretty plump young Fly,
Humming her little orisons to morn.

"Good morrow, dear Miss Fly," quoth gallant Grim---
"Good morrow, Sir," reply'd Miss Fly to him---
"Walk in, Miss, pray, and see what I'm about:"
"I'm much oblig'd t'ye, Sir," Miss Fly rejoin'd,
"My eyes are both so very good, I find,
"That I can plainly see the whole *without*."

"Fine weather, Miss---Yes, very, very fine,"
Quoth Miss---"prodigious fine indeed:"
"But why so coy?" quoth Grim, "that you decline
"To put within my bow'r your pretty head?"

"Tis simply this,"
Quoth cautious Miss,
"I fear you'd like my *pretty head* so *well*,
"You'd keep it for yourself, Sir---who can tell?"

"Then let me squeeze your lovely hand, my dear,
"And prove that all your dread is foolish---vain."
"Ive a sore finger, Sir, nay, more, I fear
"You really would not let it go again."

"Poh, poh, child, pray dismiss your idle dread;
"I would not hurt one hair of that sweet head---
"Well, then, with one kind kiss of *friendship* meet me."
"La, Sir," (quoth Miss, with seeming artless tongue)
"I fear your *salutation* would be *long*;
"So *loving* too I fear that you would eat me."

So saying, with a smile she left the rogue,
To weave more lines of death, and plan for prog.

On HUMAN LIFE.

FROM sunny scenes, from days of joy,
To hours of dark distress,
Alas! how many sink, among
The hapless human race.

Thrown headlong on a guileful world,
They, artless, do not know,
Sincere and simple in themselves,
They fancy others so.

Hence do we find, that men of worth,
Are oft to want betray'd;
Hence is the hopeful youth undone,
And hence the ruin'd maid.

The world 's a wide and thorny wild,
Where many snares are hid;
And much of caution is requir'd
The devious wild to tread.

An ANSWER in TRUTH.

SAYS Churl, in a rage, (contradicting his wife,)
You never once told me the Truth in your life.
His wife was quite vexed, and knit up her brow.
You're a Cuckold, says she—I've told the Truth now.

GOD and the SOLDIER.

IN Times of War to God we humbly pray
To bless our arms; and grudge no Soldier's pay:
When Danger's o'er, they 're both alike requited,
God is forgot, and the poor Soldier slighted.

The REFUSAL.

A FRIEND propos'd to me a Wife
Who seem'd all charming, gay & young,
You may, said he, be blest for life,
She knows the French and Latin Tongue.
I thank'd my friend—I'd have none such,
One Tongue, too often, prates too much.

On DRUNKENNESS.

THE sun delighting Fly repairs at first,
To the full cup, only to quench her thirst,
But oftentimes, she sports about the brink,
And sips so long that she gets drown'd in drink.
When wanton Pleasure shall present thine eye
With lavish cups—remember thou the Fly.

The MISER.

IRON in his chest, iron in his door;
Iron in his hand, and his heart is more.

A PARADOXICAL WEDDING.

A WEDDING there was, and a dance there must be,
And who should stand first? Thus all did agree,
Old grandsire and grandmam should lead the dance down; [ground;
Two fathers, two mothers, should step the same
Two daughters stood up and danc'd with their sires;
(The room was so warm they needed no fires)
And also two sons, who danc'd with their mothers; [brothers;
Three sisters there were, and danc'd with three
Two uncles vouchsaf'd with their nieces to dance,
With nephews to jig it, it pleased two aunts;
Three husbands would dance with none but their wives,
(As best so to do all the rest of their lives)
The granddaughter chose the jolly grandson,
And the bride she would dance with bridegroom, or none.
A company choice—their number to fix
I told them all o'er, and found them but six;
All honest and true; from incest quite free,
Their marriages good--Pray, How could it be?

*** *A Solution is requested, for another year.*

ROADS to the principal towns on the continent, &c. from BOSTON. With the names of INNKEEPERS.

☞ INNHOLDERS *are desired to send in their Names for next year before July.*

To PLYMOUTH and CAPECOD.

Towns.	Taverns.
Roxbury,	Kent 4
Milton,	Pierce 3
Quincy,	Marsh 2
ditto,	Salisbury 2
Weymouth,	Arnold 1
ditto,	Rice 3
Hingham,	Cushing 3
Scituate,	Colamore 4
Hanover,	Wales 5
Pembroke,	Baker 4
Kingston,	Little 6
Plymouth,	Bartlet and Witherell 4
ditto,	Cornish 6
ditto,	Ellis 5
Sandwich,	Newcomb, and Fessenden 7
Barnstable,	Howland, Baxter and Chipman 8
ditto,	Loring, and Crocker 4
Yarmouth,	Basset and Thatcher 5
Harwich,	Silk 7
ditto,	Chuck and Snow 1
Eastham,	Knowles 6
ditto,	Knowles 3
Wellfleet,	Collins and Lombard 9
Truro,	Knowles 7
ditto,	Stevens 1
Provincetown,	Nickerson 7

To NEWPORT.

Roxbury,	Whiting 8
Dedham,	Ames, and Gay 3
Dedham,	Ellis 3
Walpole,	Downe 5
Walpole,	Hadden 2
Wrentham,	Mann 6
Attleborough,	Newell 4
(Thence to	*Providence)* 9
Rehoboth,	Dagget 8
Warren,	Burr 9
Bristol,	Wardwell 4
Ferry House,	Pierce 2
Portsmouth,	Stranger 3
Newport,	Lawton 9

To CHARLESTOWN NEWHAMPSHIRE & CROWNPOINT.

Watertown,	Willington 8
Waltham,	Gleason 2
Concord,	Parkman 10
Acton,	Jones 5
Harvard,	Parkhurst 8
ditto,	Atherton 2
Fitchburgh,	Cowden 11
ditto,	Upton 3
Westminster,	Cooper 1
Ashburnham,	Jewet 2
ditto,	Willard 1
Winchendon,	Hale 5
ditto,	Kidder 4
Fitzwilliam,	Stone 4
ditto,	Shirtliff 5
Newmarlborough,	Switcher.
ditto,	Roberts 8
Keene,	Richardson,
ditto,	Bullard
ditto,	Edwards 6
Walpole,	Moore 10
ditto,	Bellows 2d. 4
ditto,	Bellows 3
Charlstown,	Stone 9
	Willard and Carpenter 1
Nott's ferry,	3
Springfield,	Stevens 5
Weathersfield,	Spafford 2
Cavendish,	Pain 6
ditto,	Coffin 5
Otter creek,	Botsford 20
Rutland,	Meeds 6
Pittsford,	Waters 6
Shoreham,	Moore 29
Bridport,	Towners 8
Crownpoint,	2

To CHARLESTOWN NEWHAMPSHIRE.

Charlestown,	Robbins 1
ditto,	Page 1
Menotomy,	Russel 3
ditto,	Whitemore 1
Lexington,	Brown 3
ditto,	Munro 1
ditto,	Dudley or Merriam 1
ditto,	Benjamin 2
Concord,	Richardson or Paine 5
Acton,	Davis 5
ditto,	White 2
Littleton,	Kidder 3
Groton,	Farrar 5
ditto,	Hall 2
ditto,	Richardson half
Pepperrel,	Wood 2 & half
Townsend,	Conant 5
ditto,	Warren 2 & half
ditto	Lampson 1
Ashby,	Walker 1
ditto,	Fletcher 2
Newipswich,	Wheeler 2 & h.
ditto,	Bigelow 1
ditto,	Fletcher 2 & half
Rindge,	Mansfield 4 & half
Jeffrey,	Prescott 3 & half
ditto,	Danforth or Cutler 4 & half
ditto,	Joslyn 1 & half
ditto,	Milliken 1 & half
Marlborough,	Sweetser or Longley, 6 & half
ditto,	Woodward 1 & half
Keene,	Willson 3
ditto,	Bullard or Edwards 1 & half
ditto,	Chase 2
Surry,	Carpenter 3 & half
Walpole,	Carpenter 3 & half
ditto,	Watkins 3 & half
ditto,	Bellows, or Johnson 1
ditto,	Reddington 3
ditto,	the Bridge 1 & half
Charlestown,	N. H. 8

To DARTMOUTH COLLEGE.

Charlestown,	Willard 119
	(See above.)
Claremont,	Ashley 6
ditto,	Cook 4
Cornish,	Chase 5
Plainfield,	Safford 7
Lebanon,	Hall 6
Hanover,	Brewster 4

To NORWICH and NEWLONDON.

Attleborough,	Newel 36
Providence,	Rice 9
Johnson,	Sheldon 3
———	Fiske 5
Scituate,	Angel 4
———	Taylor, 6
Coventry,	Knox 4
Volentown,	Dorance 4
Plainfield,	Eaton 4
Newent,	Burnham 8
Norwich,	Lathrop 7
Mohegan,	Houghton 7
Newlondon,	Douglas 7

Upper road to EXETER & PORTLAND.

Medford,	Blanchard
Woburn,	Black Horse
ditto,	Fowle
Wilmington,	Blanchard
Andover,	Abbot 7
Haverhill,	Charlton 9
Plaistow,	Sawyer 3
Kingston,	Blake 6
Exeter,	Folsom 6
Stratham,	Folsom 5
Newmarket,	Folsom 5
Durham,	Gage 4
Dover,	Shannon 6
Berwick,	Butler 6
ditto,	Thomson 2
ditto,	Hays 3
Wells,	Littlefield 7
Kenebunk,	Bernard 9
Biddeford,	Hooper 10
Saco bridge,	Spring
Peperelborough,	Bradbury 4
Scarborough,	Millikin 1
ditto,	Marsh 4
ditto,	March 1
Strowdwater,	Broad 5
Portland,	Greele & Motley 4

Poſt road to NEWBURYPORT, PORTSMOUTH, and MACHIAS.

Medford, Blanchard 4
Malden, Hill 3
[Over *Malden* Bridge to *Salem* is fifteen miles.]
Malden, Wait 2
Lynn, Newell 4
[*Over* Winniſimet-Ferry *to* Newell's *is only* 7.]
Danvers, Winchester 7
Salem, Robinſon and Buffington 2
[*To go the upper Road, from* Winchester's, Danvers, *to* Leach's 2 *miles*, Putnam 2, *thence to* Wenham, Porter's 4 *miles*.]
Juſt over *Salem* Bridge, to
Beverly, Brazier, Leach and Aſhton 1
Baker 2
Wenham, Porter 3
Hamilton Adams 2
Ipſwich, Treadwell, Homans or Dodge 4
Rowley, Jewet & Payſon 4
Newbury, Putnam 2
Newburyport, Davenport and Hoyt 1
Newburyport Ferry, Pike
[Over *Webſter's* point,
Saliſbury, Dr. Nye 4
Hampton-Falls Sanborn,] and Wells 1
Hampton, Leavitt 3
Northampton, Leavitt 4
Greenland, Libby, Sanborn and Pickering, 5
Portſmouth, Greenleaf, Stavers 5
Over the Ferry 1
Portſmouth Ferry Reed 3
York, Emerſon and Prebble 9
ditto, Sewall and Wyer 5
ditto, Cole 11
ditto, Bernard 4
Biddeford, Hooper 9
ditto, Spring
Pepperelborough, Bradbury 4
Scarborough, Burbank 1
ditto Milliken 2
ditto, Harmen 2
ditto, Marſh 2
Falmouth Broad 4
ditto, Pollard 4
Portland, Motley, Greele and Huſton 4
N. Caſco, Bucknam 7
Northyarmouth, Loring 6
ditto, Elwell 2
Freeport, Cummings 9
Brunſwick, Chaſe 5
Brunſwick Falls, Stone 5
Bath, Lambert 12
Herndel's Ferry, 2
Wiſcaſſet, Whittier 11
Newcaſtle Ferry, Avery 5
ditto, Nichols 2
Nobleborough, Huſſey 5
Waldeborough, Reed 2
ditto, Sampſon 7
Cuſhing, Packard 9
St. George's Ferry, 1
Camden, Gregory 7
Maduncook, Mc Clathry 7
Duck Trap, Ulmer 7
Bellfaſt, Mitchell 12
Frankfort, Black 12
The Ferry, 1
Blue Hill, Parker 13
ditto, Patten 7
Union-river, Milliken 7
Kilikenny, Gookins 6
Gouldſborough, Jones 19
Machias, Longfellow 40

Middle road to HARTFORD & NEWHAVEN.

Dedham, Ames 11
ditto, Colburn 3
Medfield, Clark 6
Medway, Richardſon 5
Bellingham, Smith 6
Milford, Penniman 4
Mendon, Maſon 2
Uxbridge, Taft 6
Douglas, Whipple 5
ditto, Riedel
Thomſon, Jacobs 7
ditto, Nichols 2
Pomfret, Groſvenor 7
Aſhford, Spring 7
ditto, Perkins 3
ditto, Clark 2
Willmington, Utley 4
Mansfield, Dunham 4
Coventry, Kimball 6
Eaſthartford, Woodbridge 6
ditto, Little 9
Hartford, Bull 1
Weathersfield, Wright 4
Worthington, Riley 9
Meriden, Robinſon 6
Wallingford, Chittenden 4
Northhaven, Ives 5
Newhaven, Brown, or Smith 8

Weſtern poſt road to HARTFORD and NEWYORK.

Watertown, *Willington 8
Waltham, Weſſon 3
Weſton, *Flagg 5
Eaſtſudbury, Stone 3
Weſtſudbury, Howe 6
Marlborough, Howe 4
ditto, *Williams 2
Northborough, Munroe 5
Shrewſbury, *Peaſe 4
ditto, Slocumb 3
Worceſter, Howe 4
ditto, Barker
ditto, Heywood ½
ditto, *Mower ½
Leiceſter, Lynde, Swan 7
Spencer, Whitmore 4
ditto, *Jenks 1
ditto, Maſon 0
Brookfield, Draper 6
ditto, Rice 2
do. *Hitchcock 1
Weſtern, Powers 8
Palmer, *Graves 7
Wilbraham, *Sikes 1
Springfield Plain, Ruſſell 6
Springfield, *Parſons 5
Weſtſpringfield, *Bliſs 5
Suffield, Lovejoy 8
Ditto. *Auſtin 2
Windſor, *Picket 7 & a half
ditto, *Sill 3
Hartford, *Bull 7
Weathersfield, Williams 10
Middletown, *Johnſon 8
Durham, *Canfield 6
Wallingsford, *Carington 8
Northaven, Ives 6
Newhaven, *Brown 7
Milford, Clarke 10
Stratford ferry, Gillet 2
Stratford, *Lovejoy 2
Fairfield, *Pennfield 10
Greenfarms, Paſſel 8
Norwalk, *Reed 4
Stamford, *Webb 9
Horſeneck, *Knapp 6
Rye, *Quintard 6
Maroneck, Horton 4
Newrochel, Williams 4
Eaſtcheſter, Gyon 4
Kingſbury, *Hoyt 4
Harlem, Haſley 5
Newyork, *Beckman 9

N.B. *Where the ſtages ſtop the names of the innkeepers are marked thus* [*]

To ALBANY and QUEBEC.

Springfield, Parſons 96
Over river to Ely's 2
Weſtfield, Clap 7
ditto, Emerſon 3
Blandford, Knox 6
Greenwood, Rowley 6
ditto, Emerſon 3
Tyringham, Chadwick 7
Greatbarrington, Root 9
ditto, Whiting 1
Egremont, Hicks 4
Nobletown, Cowles 4
ditto, Mackinſtry 3
ditto, Ray 3
Stonehole, Hoggaboom 3
Kinderhook, Gooſe 4
ditto, Vauburg 1
ditto, Fitch 2
Albany ferry 8
Halfmoon 12
Stillwater 13
Saratoga 12
Fort Edward 20
Lake George 14
Ticonderoga 50
Crownpoint 15
Willſborough 20
Fort St. John 68
Le Prairie 16

Montreal,		6
Trois Rivieres		90
Quebec		80

Road to PETERSHAM, and BENNINGTON.

Shrewsbury,	Peafe, or Baldwin	40
Worcester,	Bigelow	5
Holden,	Parker	3
ditto,	Abbot	3
ditto,	Davis	1
Rutland,	Kelley	4
ditto,	Henry	1
Oakham,	Fobes	5
Barre,	Ruggles	4
ditto,	Smith	2
Peersham,	Beckham	5
ditto,	Dickerfon	2
ditto,	Ward	1
Orange,	Cady	6
ditto,	Chapin	1
Warwick,	Pomeroy,	
South road,	Mayo	5
Northfield,	Houghton, Whitney and Doolittle, N. R.	8
Hinfdale,	Howe	8
Brattleborough,	Dickerfon	6
Marlborough,	Stockwell	4
ditto,	Whitney	3
ditto,	Whitney	3
Wilmington,	Cook	4
ditto,	Thompfon	2
Reedfborough,	Hartwell	6
ditto,		4
Woodford,	Scott	5
Bennington,	Dewey, Fay, Griſwold, and Hathaway	7

Poſt Road to WINDSOR, VERMONT from SPRINGFIELD.

Springfield,	Parſons,	
	Church	30
Upper ferry,		1
Weſtſpringfield,	Miller	7
Northampton,	Lyman	11
ditto,	Pomeroy	5
Hatfield,	White	4
Whately,	Gad Smith	6
Deerfield,	Hovt	8
Greenfield,	Willard	3
———,	Munn	
Barnardſton,	Alvord	11
Brattleborough,	Dickerſon	10
Putney,	Goodwin	11
Weſtminſter,	Spooner	10
Walpole Bridge,		8
Charleſton, No. 4.	Willard	7
Claremont,	Hubbard	7
Windſor,	Conant	11

Road from WORCESTER to PROVIDENCE.

From the Courthouſe to	Harrington's	3
Graſton,	Wood's or Barnes	5
Upton,	Kingſley	4
Mendon,	Maſon	6
———,	Aldrich	6
Cumberland,	Pike or Lovett	6
———,	Jenks	4
———,	Whipple	2
Smithfield,	Aldrich	1
North Providence,	Winſlow's	4
Providence,	Thayer	1

ROAD from FISHKILL to the OHIO river.

From Fiſhkill to the ferry		5
Over the ferry to Newborough		2
Bethlehem,	Edmondſon	4
Blooming Grove,	Goldſmith	8
Cheſter,	Gilverton	8
Warwick,	Smith	9
Wantage,	Hinchman	7
ditto,	Randall	8
Suſſex C. H.	Wyllis	14
Hardwick,	Goble	6
Old Moravian town,	Gambol	11
Oxford,	White	10
Eaſtown,	Shannon	10
Bethlehem,	Elberts	12
Allenſtown,	Miller	6
Maxetony,	Kemp	10
Reading,	Zoll	18
Womminſtown,	Wickerſhane	13
Merriſtown,	Bulmas	8
Lebanon,	Shingle	5
Milleſtown,	Rice	7
Humbleſtown,	Lincoln	10
River Saccetarra		1
Leeſburgh upon the Suſquehannah,	Grimes	8
Carliſle,	Foſter	16
ditto,	Alexander	7
ditto	Maccracken	7
Shippinſburgh,	Rippy	7
Clark's Gap,	Cooper	10
Over the Blue Mountain to	Skinner's	3
Over the Path Valley and Tuſcarora Mountain to the Burnt Cabins,	Jenmerſon	8
Fort Littleton,	Bird	4
Foot of Skillinghill,	Panther	12
Juncita, cr.	Martin	9
Bedford,	Wirth	14
Fork of the old Pennſylvania and Glade roads,	Bonnet	4
Foot of Dryridge,	Maccracken or Wirth	3
Meadſ ds		6
Hew's camping ground,	Ditty	5
Foot of the Alleghany,	Grindall	6
Glades,	Black	7
ditto,	Colepenny	9
ditto,	Brake	3
Foot of Laurelhill,	Shaver	1
	Phillſbury	7
	Carnes	7
	Cherry	7
Mountpleaſant,	Knuby	3
	Thompſon	3
Shumral's ferry at the Youghiegany river, or Bud's ferry 2 miles further up	Paterſon	10
Devore's ferry at the Monongahela		4
	Patterſon's	9
Waſhington	courthouſe	
	Maccarmick	11
Well's mills,		10
Coxe's fort or the ſouthern banks of the Ohio		12
Down the Ohio to the mouth of the Muſkingum		95

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